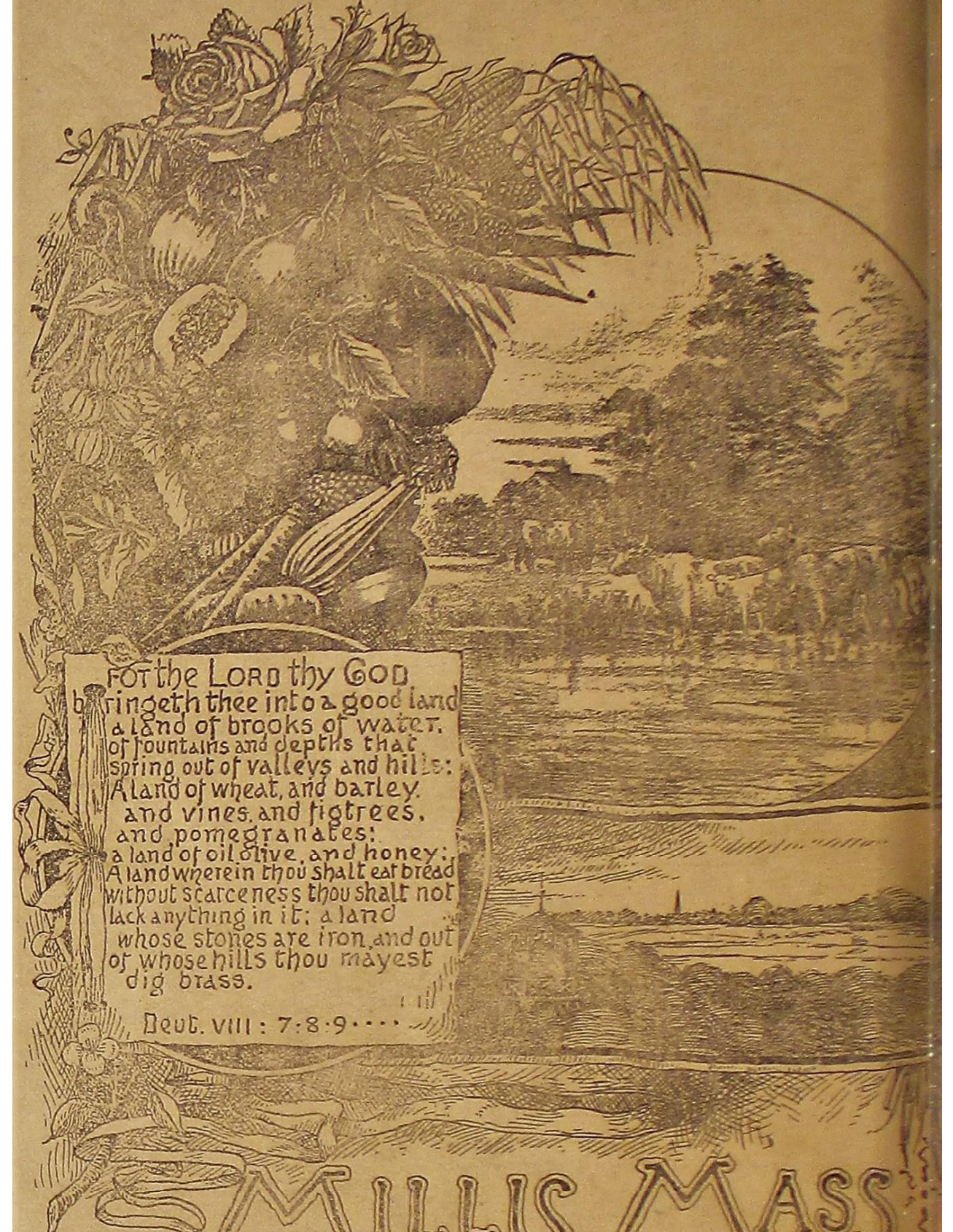




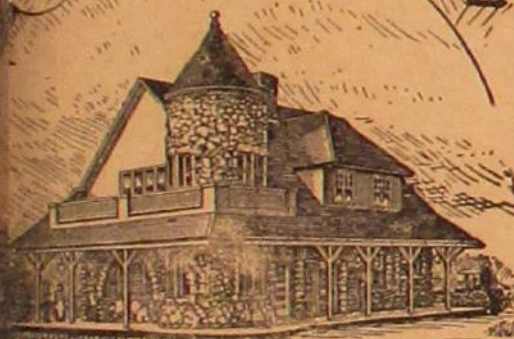
For the LORD thy God
bringeth thee into a good land
a land of brooks of water,
of fountains and depths that
spring out of valleys and hills:
A land of wheat, and barley,
and vines, and fig trees,
and pomegranates;
a land of oil olive, and honey;
A land wherein thou shalt eat bread
without scarceness thou shalt not
lack anything in it; a land
whose stones are iron, and out
of whose hills thou mayest
dig brass.

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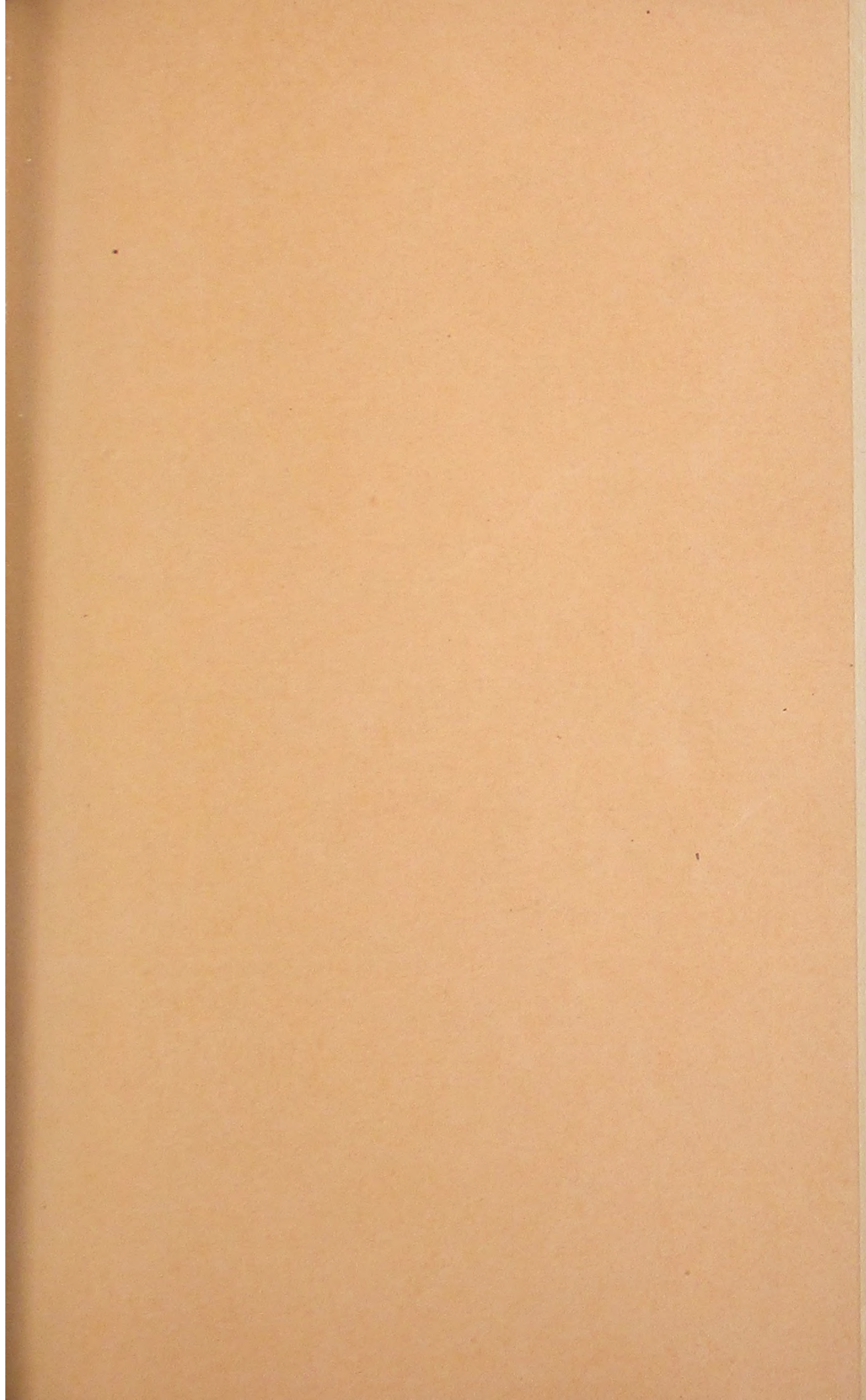
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THE TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OF MILLIS
FOR THE
Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1910.



MILLIS, MASS.:
G. W. WOOLVETT, BOOK AND JOB PRINTER,
1910

TOWN OFFICERS 1909-1910.

TOWN CLERK.

LOUIS LACROIX.

TOWN TREASURER.

EVAN F. RICHARDSON.

SELECTMEN.

GEORGE F. HOLBROOK, 1912,
ROLAND W. MANN, 1911,
ELMER L. RICHARDSON, 1910.

ASSESSORS.

STANLEY A. CLARK, 1912,
CHARLES G. BRACKETT, 1911,
LOUIS LACROIX, 1910.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

HERBERT H. THORNE, 1912,
LOWELL A. MANN, 1911,
FREDERICK SWARMAN, 1910.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

BERTEL G. WILLARD, 1912,
O. T. DEAN, 1911,
J. W. CROWTHER, 1910.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

LOUIS LACROIX, 1912,
E. E. ADAMS, 1911,
H. H. THORNE, 1910.

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

G. G. HOFF, 1912,
J. S. ADAMS, 1911,
C. LACROIX, 1910.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

H. E. KIMBALL, 1912,

S. H. FRINK, 1911,

L. LACROIX, 1910.

TAX COLLECTOR.

J. C. THORNE.

AUDITOR.

F. H. ROACH.

TREE WARDEN.

L. LACROIX.

MODERATOR.

GEO. P. HOLBROOK.

CONSTABLES.

T. J. McCARTY.

WM. H. THORNE.

Officers Appointed by the Selectmen.

FENCE VIEWERS.

H. H. THORNE, A. R. DANIELS, H. E. HOSMER.

FIELD DRIVERS.

W. H. THORNE, T. J. McCARTY.

FIRE ENGINEERS AND FOREST FIREWARDS.

CHAS. LACROIX, J. C. THORNE,
J. W. CRIBBIE.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

R. W. MANN.

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS.

L. A. COOK.

PUBLIC WEIGHERS.

H. H. THORNE, E. J. KEITH,
J. H. INGRAHAM.

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER.

G. C. THRASHER, L. CLARK, H. H. THORNE.

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

L. A. MANN, 1912, F. SWARMAN, 1911,
E. F. RICHARDSON, 1910.

SPECIAL POLICE.

W. H. THORNE, T. J. McCARTY, G. G. HOFF.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

W. H. THORNE.

UNDERTAKER.

E. F. RICHARDSON.

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE.

E. F. LOVELL,

G. P. HOLBROOK.

THE RECORDS
OF THE
TWENTY-FIFTH MUNICIPAL YEAR
ENDING JANUARY 31, 1910.

FIRST MEETING, MARCH 1, 1909.

Article 1. To choose a moderator for one year, clerk for one year, treasurer for one year, tax collector for one year, one selectman for one year, one selectman for two years, one selectman for one year, one overseer of the poor for three years, one overseer of the poor for two years, one overseer of the poor for one year, two constables for one year, one auditor for one year, one tree warden for one year, one assessor for three years, one school committee for three years, one trustee of the public library for three years, one water commissioner for three years, one park commissioner for three years. Also to choose all other town officers. Also to vote "yes" or "no" in answer to the question "Shall license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town." All the above to be on one ballot. The polls will be opened at 6.30 A.M. o'clock, and may be closed at 1.30 in the afternoon.

Geo. P. Holbrook, moderator, declared polls open at 6.30 A.M.,

Albert R. Daniels, Daniel J. Murphy, qualified as ballot clerks.

Edmund F. Lovell, Geo. E. Staniford, qualified as election officers.

Voted unanimous. That in the counting of the votes cast today the tellers count the votes for D. J. Murphy, Daniel Murphy and Daniel J. Murphy, for one and the same person.

Daniel J. Murphy resigned as ballot clerk.

Polls closed at 1.45 P.M. Ballot box registered 220.

Both check lists showed 214 names checked as voting and 214 ballots were found in the box.

The ballots were counted and the vote declared as follows:

For moderator, one year:		For overseer of the poor, three years:	
George P. Holbrook,	167	Herbert H. Thorne,	179
Blanks,	47	Blanks,	35
For town clerk, one year:		For overseer of the poor, three years:	
Louis LaCroix,	177	Lowell A. Mann,	160
Blanks,	37	Blanks,	54
For selectman, three years:		For overseer of the poor, one year:	
Moses G. Adams,	89	Frederick Swarman,	169
George F. Holbrook,	120	Blanks,	145
Blanks,	5	For treasurer, one year:	
For selectman, two years:		Evan F. Richardson,	146
Roland W. Mann,	156	Fred Holland,	1
Louis LaCroix,	1	Blanks,	17
Blanks,	57	For collector of taxes, one year:	
For selectman, one year:		J Clarence Thorne,	184
Elmer L. Richardson,	165	Blanks,	30
D. J. Murphy,	1		
Blanks,	48		
For assessor, three years:			
Stanley A. Clark,	100		
D. J. Murphy,	95		
Daniel Gately,	1		
Blanks,	18		

For school committee, three years:		For water commissioner, three years:	
Walter A. Washburn,	79	George G. Hoff,	177
Bertel G. Willard,	127	Blanks,	37
Blanks,	8		
For constables, one year:		For park commissioner, three years:	
Timothy J. McCarty,	183	H. Earl Kimball,	167
William H. Thorne,	163	Blanks,	47
D. J. Murphy,	2		
Blanks,	80	For auditor, one year:	
		Fred B. Roach,	171
For trustee of public library, three years:		Blanks,	43
Louis LaCroix,	164	Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?	
H. L. Movius,	1		
Blanks,	49		
For tree warden, one year:		Yes,	72
Louis LaCroix,	159	No,	110
Blanks,	55		

Art. 2. To hear and act on the reports of town officers and committees.

Voted to consider the reports in order as printed in the the annual report.

Town clerk's report accepted as printed.

Assessors' report accepted as printed.

Overseers' report accepted as yrinted.

Water commissioners' report accepted as printed.

Trustees of public library report accepted as printed.

Trustees of cemetery commissioners' report accepted as printed.

Fire engineers' report accepted as printed.

Tax collector's report accepted as printed.

Gypsy moth superintendent's report accepted as printed.

Inspector of animals report accepted as printed.

Memorial Day committee report accepted as printed.

Selectmen's report accepted as printed.

Treasurer's report accepted as printed.

Report of special water committee accepted as printed,
and the last part of report relating to sewage be adopted and
referred to the selectmen for immediate action.

Report of school committee accepted as printed.

Art. 3. To see if the town will authorize the treasurer
with the approval of the selectmen, to hire money in anticipa-
tion of taxes, the same to be paid from the tax of 1909.

Voted unanimously. That the town do authorize the
treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to hire money
in anticipation of taxes, the same to be paid from the tax of
1909.

Art. 4. To see what disposition the town will make of
the money refunded by the county on account of dog
licenses.

Voted. It be appropriated to the trustees of the public
library for the uses of the library.

Art. 5. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of
money for Memorial day.

Voted to appropriate \$75.00 for expenses of Memorial
day.

Voted. Selectmen appoint a committee to expend the
same.

Art. 6. To appropriate money for all necessary town
expenses for the ensuing year.

Roads, bridges and sidewalk repair,	\$1,500 00
Incidentals,	1,200 00

Voted that \$100 be added to the sum already
appropriated for incidentals, and that it be
used be the selectmen for the suppression
of the illegal sale of liquor and the enforce-
ment of law and order,

100 00

Poor department,	\$1,500 00
Fire department,	600 00
Interest,	1,650 00
Debt,	1,250 00
Sinking fund,	650 00
Snow,	200 00
Tree warden, to include brush on roadside,	100 00
School department, not including transportation,	4,450 00
Transportation, under direction of the school committee,	1,000 00
Cemetery, to be used by the commissioners,	25 00

Art. 7. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of three hundred and twenty dollars and thirty-two cents, as required by the state to suppress the gypsy moth.

Voted to appropriate \$320.32 for suppression of the gypsy moth.

Art. 8. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money for concrete sidewalk, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted. To appropriate \$200 for concrete sidewalk on Main street, beginning at Exchange street, and running east as far as it will go.

Art. 9. To see if the town will purchase safes to protect all town records as required by the state, and appropriate money for the same or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted. That a committee of five be appointed by the town. The treasurer to be one, one member of the selectmen and three citizens to consider the question of safes, this committee to report by June 1.

E. L. Richardson,

Herbert H. Thorne,

E. F. Richardson,

Louis LaCroix,

Moses C. Adams, Committee.

Art. 10. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of

money for electric street lighting, make a ten-year contract or act in any manner relating to the same.

Voted to appropriate \$800 for electric street lights with a ten-year contract under charge of the selectmen.

Art. 11. To see if the town will build a sidewalk on Plain street from Thorne's corner in a southerly direction, appropriate money, or act in any manner relating to the same.

Appropriate \$50 for sidewalk on Plain street as far as it will go.

Art. 12. To see if the town will appoint a committee to confer with any parties living outside the town limits, who may desire to purchase water from the town of Millis, and to report at a town meeting called for that purpose.

That the water commissioners be a committee to confer with parties wishing water, and report to the town on or before the first of June.

Art. 13. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money to build a sidewalk on Pleasant street from Rockville corner to the residence of Robert Niles, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Appropriated \$140 to built a sidewalk on Pleasant street from Rockville corner south.

Art. 14. To see if the town will accept the provisions of chapter 309, acts of 1908. An act to provide for the protection of forest or sprout lands from fire.

Voted. Yes, 11; no, 7.

Art. 15. To hear and act on report of the committee on better school accommodation. To see if the town will appoint a committee to draw up plans and specifications for a new school building, and report to the town at a special town meeting to be held not later than June 1, 1909, and to appropriate money for the use of said committee, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted. That the moderator appoint a committee of five, one member of the board of selectmen, one member of school committee, three citizens, neither of which shall have served on the school board for past five years, and that \$50 be appropriated for their use.

R. W. Mann, selectman.

B. G. Willard, school committee.

J. H. Shannon.

J. C. Thorne.

E. L. Hill.

Art. 16. To see what action the town will take in regards the Elm leaf beetle. To appropriate money for its suppression, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted to appropriate \$150 to be used under care of F. H. Holland, Jr., tree warden.

Art. 17. To see what action the town will take with respect to amending the by-laws of the town relative to the of the auditor, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted a committee of three be appointed by the moderator to recommend amendment to the by-laws relating to duties of auditor and report in proper form at some future meeting.

G. G. Hoff,

R. W. Mann,

F. H. Holland, Jr.

Art. 18. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars for a state road. The state to give an equal amount, or act in any manner relating to the same.

Voted to dismiss the article.

Art. 19. To grant money appropriated for the foregoing articles.

Voted to grant \$16,010.32 for 1909.

Voted. That the selectmen fill by appointment all officers not filled by this election.

Recount.

We, the undersigned, voters in the town of Millis, Mass., have reason to, and do believe that the records or copies of records made by the election officers at the annual election March 1, 1909, are erroneous in the count of votes for one assessor for three years, and we believe a recount of the ballots cast in said town for assessor will affect the election of one or more candidates, especially Stanley A. Clark and Daniel J. Murphy.

H. M. Cushman, John M. Adams, W. A. Washburn, Harry F. Holbrook, Bernard F. Post, George F. Holbrook, Charles LaCroix, G. R. Payson, George W. Morrill, F. E. Holder.

Acknowledged by H. M. Cushman before Geo. P. Holbrook, J. P., and filed with the town clerk on March 3, 1909.

Millis, Mass., March 11, 1909. Recount of votes for assessor cast at annual election for 1909:

Stanley A. Clark one hundred and three votes.

Daniel J. Murphy ninety-one votes.

Dan Gately one vote.

D. Murphy one vote.

Eighteen blanks.

Signed, Geo. P. Holbrook, moderator.

LOUIS LACROIX,

Town Clerk.

SPECIAL MEETING, APRIL 1, 1909.

Article I. To see what action the town will take with respect to applying such sum or sums as may be paid to the town of Millis by the Edison Elec. Ill. Co. as taxes upon its

property located in said town toward meeting the cost of additional lights, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted. That the sums received from Edison Electric Illuminating Co. as taxes be turned into the town treasury.

Art. 2. To see what action the town will take toward the purchase of a spraying machine and equipment for the suppression of the Elm leaf beetle, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted to appropriate \$125 additional to purchase an outfit to fight the Elm leaf beetle.

Art. 3. To see if the town will appropriate \$500.00 for a state highway, the state to give an equal amount, and instruct its treasurer to borrow the money, the same to be paid from the taxes of 1910.

Voted. That the town appropriate \$500.00 for state highway under acts of 1908, chap. 279, the state to give an equal amount. The treasurer to borrow the sum for one year to be payable from the tax of 1910.

Voted. The treasurer be instructed with the approval of the selectmen to borrow \$500.00 in anticipation of the tax of 1910.

Vote declared 2-3 by moderator.

Art. 4. To see if the town will instruct its selectmen to petition to the county commissioners of Norfolk county, to build a reinforced concrete bridge over Charles river on Main street, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted. To instruct the selectmen to petition the county commissioner of Norfolk county to build a reinforced concrete bridge over Charles river on Main street.

Art. 5. To grant money for the foregoing articles.

Voted to grant \$125.00.

LOUIS LACROIX,
Town Clerk.

SPECIAL MEETING, JUNE 22, 1909.

Article 1. To hear and act on the report of the special committee on better school accommodation, appointed in accordance with Article 15th of the last annual town warrant, to wit, (Art. 15. To hear and act on the report of the committee on better school accommodation. To see if the town will appoint a committee to draw up plans and specifications for a new school building, and report to the town at a special town meeting to be held not later than June 1, 1909, and to appropriate money for the use of said committee, or act in any manner relating thereto). Appropriate money or act in any matter relating to Article 1.

Committee reported two plans, one an addition to the Adams building cost \$4000, the other a new building at \$35,000.

Voted to accept report as a report of progress.

Voted the committee be requested to secure estimates on a 2-room building for the high school. Also to secure estimates on one-story building for the Grange hall school.

Art. 2. To see if the town will appropriate an additional sum of money for suppression of the Elm leaf beetle, or act in any matter relating to same.

Committee reported a shortage of about \$40.

Voted that an additional sum of \$40 be appropriated for expenses in fighting the Elm tree beetle.

Art. 3. To hear report of committee appointed March 1st, 1909, to investigate the protection of public records from fire. Appropriate money or act in any matter relating to same.

Committee reported in favor of \$100 for safes, two or more departments to unite and use one safe.

Voted to accept the report of the committee and a sum of \$100 be appropriated to purchase the safes, and the same committee purchase and place the safes.

Art. 4. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$300 for fire hose, or act in any matter relating the same.

Report of warrant committee recommend \$300 for fire hose.

Voted. That \$300 be appropriated for fire hose, and that the fire engineers have charge of the purchasing.

Art. 5. To see if the town will appoint a committee to investigate the advisability of an extension of the present water system, or act in any matter relating thereto.

Voted. That a committee be appointed to investigate the advisability of extending the water system.

Voted. That the water commissioners be that committee.

Art. 6. To see if the town will authorize the treasurer to borrow money appropriated in the foregoing articles.

Voted unanimous. The treasurer be authorized to borrow the sum of \$440 to meet the appropriations under articles 2, 3 and 4 of the warrant.

Adjourned.

LOUIS LACROIX,
Town Clerk.

SPECIAL MEETING, AUGUST 3, 1909.

Meeting called to order by Geo. P. Holbrook, moderator, at 8.20 P. M.

Article 1. To hear the report of the selectmen on their doings relative to the bridge over the Charles river. To see if the town will authorized the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow for one year, a sum not exceeding

(\$7,500.00) seven thousand five hundred dollars, and give the notes of the town therefor. The money to be used in payment of one-half cost of a concrete bridge on Main street over Charles river, between Medfield and Millis.

Voted. That the board of selectmen procure plans and specifications as are approved by the county commissioners for the proposed bridge, and obtain bona-fide bids therefor from as many reliable contractors as they deem advisable and report to the town at an adjourned meeting on Tuesday, August 31, at 8 P. M.

Art. 2. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money on account of gypsy moth, the same to be collected from individuals and the state.

Voted to appropriate \$257.31 for the gypsy moth department.

Art. 3. To hear and act on the report of the special committee on better school accommodation, appropriate money or act in any matter relating thereto.

Report of Committee on Better School Accommodations.

The committee considered several methods of improving the school accommodations, viz:

(1) Building a new four-room schoolhouse at an estimated cost of \$25,000.

(2) Building a new six-room schoolhouse at an estimated cost of \$32,000.

(3) Adding a two-room wing to the Adams schoolhouse at an estimated cost of \$5000.

(4) Building a new two-room schoolhouse to accommodate the high school at an estimated cost of \$5000.

(5) Building a one-room schoolhouse to accommodate the 1st and 2nd grades at an estimated cost of \$3300.

(6) Accepting the offer of the Grange to renovate the present schoolroom and toilet accommodations in Grange

Hall and render them perfectly sanitary, for a rental of \$125 per year and 1-2 of the coal bill, instead of \$100 per year and 2-3 of the coal bill, as at present.

The Committee unanimously recommends the acceptance of the Grange Hall proposition, believing it to be the most economical as a temporary expedient; also believing that the only final satisfactory solution is the erection of a modern schoolhouse of sufficient size to accommodate all the grades and the high school, at no distant date, for the following reasons:

1st. The schoolrooms are in several instances taxed as to capacity at present, and as soon as the natural growth of the town's population makes much further increase, they will be overcrowded.

2nd. The Adams Schoolhouse is a very old building and is now rapidly deteriorating and will require a considerable amount of money for repairs and upkeep within the next few years.

3rd. Three years hence the fixed charges for interest and loans to the Town will be so reduced as to make the erection of a new modern school building possible with approximately the same annual appropriations as at present.

Signed,

J. C. THORNE,

B. G. WILLARD,

ERNEST L. HILL,

J. H. SHANNON.

ROLAND W. MANN,

Committee.

Voted to accept the report of the committee as printed and that it be made a part of record.

Voted to adopt section 6 of the printed report of the committee.

Art. 4. To see if the town will authorize the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money on the foregoing articles.

Voted the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen be authorized to borrow \$257.30 for such time as is necessary under Art. 2 of this warrant.

Adjourned to Tuesday, Aug. 31, 1909, at 8 o'clock P.M.

LOUIS LACROIX,

Town Clerk.

ADJOURNED MEETING, AUG. 31, 1909.

Called to order by Geo. P. Holbrook, moderator.

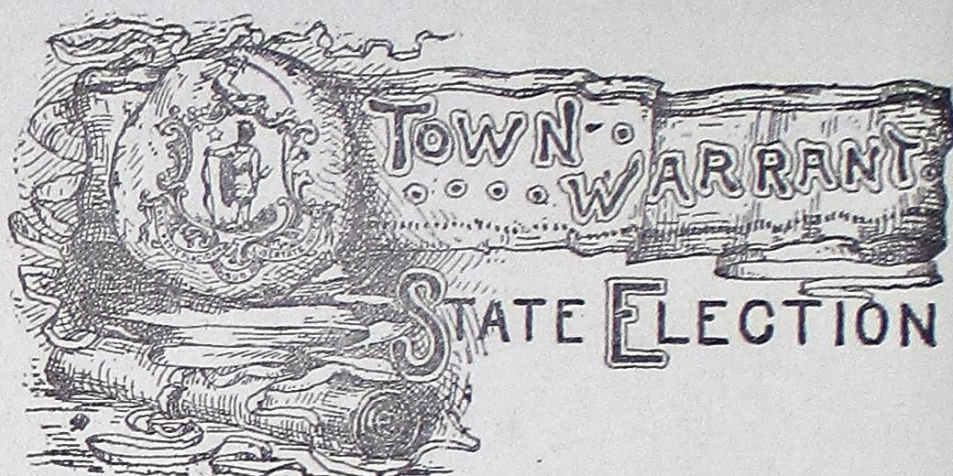
Geo. F. Holbrook, chairman, for the selectmen, reported that plans furnished had been objected to and new ones were being prepared.

Voted, unanimous, that the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be authorized to borrow a sum not exceeding \$7,500.00 for one year.

Adjourned.

LOUIS LACROIX,

Town Clerk.



STATE ELECTION

Nov. 2, 1909

Result of vote:

Governor:

Eben S. Draper of Hopedale, republican,	102
John A. Nicholls of Boston, prohibition,	3
Moritz E. Ruther of Holyoke, socialist labor,	2
James H. Vahey of Watertown, democratic,	55
Daniel A. White of Brockton, socialist,	3
Blanks,	4

Lieutenant-governor:

Eugene N. Foss of Boston, democratic,	51
Louis A. Frothingham of Boston, republican,	105
George G. Hall of Boston, socialist,	3
Ernest R. Knipe of Holyoke, prohibition,	0
Lawrence Yates of New Bedford, socialist labor,	1
Blanks,	9

Secretary:

David D. Clark of Williamstown, democratic,	42
Harriet D'Orsay of Lynn, socialist,	3
Henry C. Hess of Boston, socialist labor	2
William C. Merrill of Malden, prohibition,	2
William M. Olin of Boston, republican,	106
Blanks,	14

Treasurer:

James H. Bryan of Westfield, democratic,	43
James B. Carr of Chelmsford, socialist,	2
David Craig of Milford, socialist labor,	2
Daniel Farlin of Worcester, prohibition,	1
Elmer A. Stevens of Somerville, republican,	109
Blanks,	12

Auditor:

Alexis Boyer, Jr. of Somerville, democratic,	38
Charles A. Chace of Swansea, prohibition,	2
Sylvester J. McBride of Watertown, socialist,	5
Jeremiah P. McNally of Salem, socialist labor,	1
Henry E. Turner of Malden, republican,	110
Blanks,	13

Attorney-General:

Henrp M. Dean of Hyde Park, prohibition,	2
John A. Fredrikson of Quincy, socialist labor,	2
Dana Malone of Greenfield, republican,	110
Harvey N. Shepard of Boston, democratic,	36
John Weaver Sherman of Boston, socialist,	3
Blanks,	16

Councillor—Second district:

J. Stearns Cushing of Norwood, repnblican,	111
Charles W. Guy of Quincy, democratic,	4
Frederic H. Lord of Quincy, socialist,	4
Blanks,	14

Senator—Second Norfolk district:

James M. Lynch of Avon democratic,	41
Bradley M. Rockwood of Franklin, republican,	112
Blanks,	16

Representative in General Court—Eleventh Norfolk district:

Richard Walden Hale of Dover, republican,	124
Blanks,	45

County Commissioner—Norfolk:

George F. Maxwell of Brookline, democratic,	31
Evan F. Richardson of Millis, republican,	121
Hiram B. Turpel of Weymouth, socialist,	3
Blanks,	14

County Treasurer—Norfolk county:

Henry D. Humphrey of Dedham, republican,	128
A. Hale Kingsley of Quincy, socialist,	11
Blanks,	30

Result of vote for one representative to the General Court for the Eleventh Norfolk district:

	Richard W. Hale.	All others.	Blanks.
Medfield,	184		70
Medway,	228		132
Dover,	78		27
Norfolk,	64		32
Wellesley,	420	2	140
Millis,	124		45
	1098	2	446

Attest,

LOUIS LACROIX,
Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN MILLIS DURING THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1909.

DATE.	NAME.	PARENTS.
1909.		
Feb. 12	Phebe Beatrus Paginton	John S. and Anna L. (Gamble).
Apr. 16	George Alton Fisher	David C. and Delia A. (Myer).
Apr. 17	Evelyn Edna Ireland	Leonard J. and Lena (Brown).
May 11	Olive Fisher Thorne	J. Clarence and Betsey F. (Clark).
June 11	Everett Bartlett Pond	Harry T. and Eva M. (Arnold).
July 1	Rose Saltonstall Movius	Hallum L. and Alice L. (West).
July 1	George West Movius	
July 3	Marie Ethel Ward	James D. and Jennie (McKay).
July 13	Cecilia May Fellows	William H. and Mary E. (McMurry).
July 22	Laurence Burton Finch	John A. and Harriet A. (Parker).
Aug. 7	Louis Henry Thorne	Herbert H. and May B. (Hamilton).
Aug. 20	Helen Lefcovitch	David and Sarah (Graff).
Aug. 23	James Augustine Niland	John and Mary (Connella).
Sept. 5	Clovis Edward Duhamel	Clovis and Theresa F. (Hart).
Sept. 12	Ida Ucran	Abram and Sophia (Lazier).
Sept. 14	Catherine Fraher	Joseph M. and Margaret (Maguire).
Sept. 20	Norman Morse Hill	Ernest L. and Fannie E. (Morse).
Oct. 3	Louisa Angeline Ridolfi	Louis J. and Agnes M. (Wright).
Oct. 21	Barnard Block	Louis and Sarah (Himelfarb).
Nov. 1	Mandel Rosen	Samuel and Jennie (Rosenburg).
Nov. 20	Ruth Irene Collins	Daniel C. and Ludvine (Duhamel).
Nov. 23	Allen Walter Stone	John L. and Laura M. (Allen).

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN MILLIS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1909.

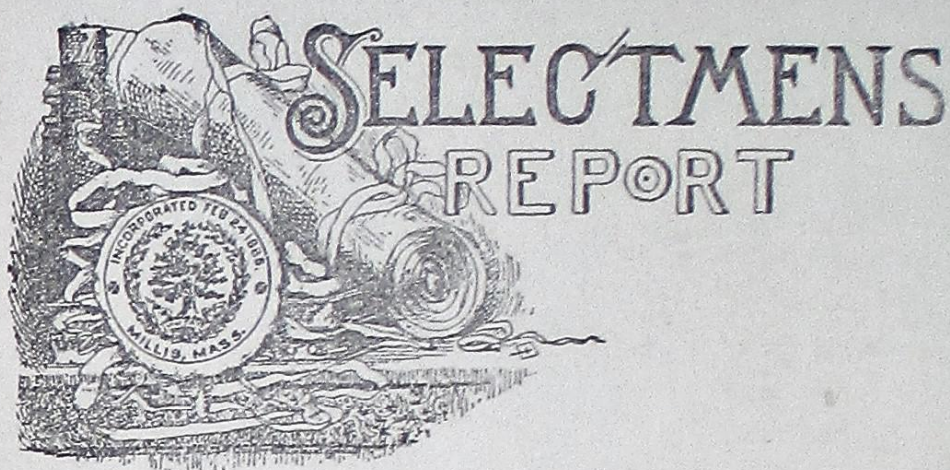
DATE.	NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	BY WHOM AND WHERE MARRIED.
1209.			
Jan. 31	Louis Brunnelli	Millis	Louis LaCroix, J. P., Millis.
Mar. 7	Ernesta Giromini	Millis	D. Kenigsbury, rabbi, Millis.
Mar. 20	Morris Cohen	Lynn	Rev. F. H. Decker, Providence, R.I.
Apr. 17	Eva Fanger	Millis	Rev. W. H. Dewart, Boston.
Apr. 22	Thomas Roy Kenville	Maine	Rev. Wm. J. Dwyer, Medway.
Apr. 22	Idamae Wood	Pa.	Rev. C. H. Williams, Medfield.
May 28	J. Stanley Reeve	Millis	Louis LaCroix, J. P., Millis.
June 26	Katherine L. Roosevelt	Millis	Rev. Geo. G. Perrin, Millis.
Sept. 8	Clovis Duhamel	Medway	Rev. Guy W. Miner, Millis.
Sept. 15	Theresa F. Hart	Millis	Rev. W. R. Buxton, Millis.
Oct. 12	Burton P. Wiswell	Medfield	Rev. A. H. Wheelock, Millis.
Oct. 16	Sadie B. Frink	Millis	Rev. Wm. J. Dwyer, Medway.
Nov. 3	Louis J. Ridolfi	Millis	Rev. Wm. J. Dwyer, Medway.
Dec. 22	Agnes M. Wright	Millis	Rev. F. R. Bunker, Millis.
	Carlos N. Sheldon	Boston	
	Louise M. Slayton	Melrose	
	Harry E. Pike	Vt.	
	Maud L. Tinkham	Millis	
	Charles Stubbins	Pa.	
	Anna A. Spencer	Millis	
	Clinton M. Clark	Medfield	
	Louise B. Holbrook	Millis	
	John J. McDonough	Millis	
	Bessie Patterson	Millis	
	Gardner W. MacDonald	Boston	
	Mary Josephine Cunnings- ham	Millis	
	Edward E. Adams	Millis	
	Mary C. Fuller	Millis	

DEATHS RECORDED IN MILLIS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1909.

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.	PLACE OF BURIAL.
1909.			
Jan. 7	Mary B. Clark	77 2 8	Millis.
Feb. 1	Mary F. Daniels	94 4 10	Millis.
Feb. 24	Sarah Jane Daniels	43 1 17	Millis.
April 3	Mary Hoar	41 9 11	Medway.
May 29	Nellie M. Stone	41 2 17	Webster.
June 8	Catherine Shannon	85	Foxboro.
June 19	James E. Brown	18 10 25	Millis.
June 10	Joseph Celli	18 10 18	Medfield.
July 22	Olive M. Adams	76	Milford.
Sept. 11	Abbie H. Adams	59 6 2	Millis.
Sept. 16	Henry McDonald	72 9 5	West Roxbury.
Oct. 31	Elizabeth Phillips	72 9 6	Millis.
Nov. 7	Sarah C. Couthill	78 4 26	Millis.
Nov. 9	Willard P. Clark	78 10 16	Millis.
Nov. 26	Mercie P. Phillips	75 7	Millis.
Dec. 8	Alice A. Willard	40 2 13	Millis.

BURIALS RECORDED IN MILLIS.

DATE.		NAME.	AGE.			PLACE OF DEATH.
			Y.	M.	D.	
1901.						
Jan.	4	Horace R. Richardson	78		17	Cambridge.
Feb.	9	Henry G. Spencer	75	9	8	Fall River.
Apr.	1	Herbert C. Snow	18	8	4	Uxbridge.
July	26	Horace Richardson	53			Worcester.
Sept	18	Geraldine R. Knox			26	Worcester.



HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation,	\$1500 00	
Street railroad excise tax,	89 85	
		\$1589 85
Paid Good Road Machine Co., balance on road machine,		106 00

Center Highway.

Paid Louis LaCroix, dump and bridge repairs,	\$10 75	
Louis LaCroix, team,	9 00	
Geo. C. Thrasher, team, men and expense,	84 27	
E. F. Richardson, team and men.	51 50	
Thorne Bros., teams and men,	267 83	
“ “ “ state road,	135 96	
J. C. Thorne, men,	41 00	
“ gravel,	3 35	
“ 500 feet of fence,	54 11	

Paid J. B. Parker, labor,	\$20 00	
J. Gannon, "	16 50	
Walter Guy, "	17 30	
Warren Heath, "	14 00	
Chas. LaCroix, team and labor,	20 25	
Chadwick Lead Co., supplies,	1 50	
L. A. Mann, painting and posting signs,	2 25	
H. A. Morse Lumber Co., 1757 ft. of lumber,	49 30	
Stanley A. Clark, team,	9 00	
	————	\$807 97
CR.		
From State of Massachusetts,	\$100 00	
United Crown & Seal Co.,	11 05	
	————	\$111 05
Net amount expended,		\$696 92

South Highway.

Paid David Keefe, labor,	\$32 08
Michael Maguire, "	6 03
Anton Braun, "	24 50
Maurice Abber, blacksmithing,	2 80
T. J. McCarty, team,	65 87
E. L. Richardson, team and labor,	82 11
" cash paid for gravel,	5 70
C. E. Simpson, repairing guide board,	1 25
" labor and men on bridge,	29 50
S. G. Clark, lumber,	5 94
J. Branchinie, labor,	3 00
C. Redolfi, "	3 00
J. Mussa, "	3 00
F. Rapaele; "	3 00

Paid Arthur Davenport, labor,	\$8 00	
Lemuel Clark, lumber,	16 00	
Abraham Himelfarb, labor,	13 12	
John Himelfarb, "	12 55	
Louis Symon, man,	15 75	
" team,	6 50	
" gravel,	27 30	
Louis Barr, "	3 60	
Thorne Bros., supplies,	3 80	
Frank Smith, labor,	2 30	
Frank Braun, labor, horse and gravel,	7 15	
		\$383 85

North Highway.

Paid Louis LaCroix, team and labor,	\$27 00	
M. Cunningham, "	41 00	
Lemuel Clark, labor, men and teams,	185 74	
Patrick Connolly, labor,	30 63	
M. Sullivan, "	20 13	
T. Cassidy, team and man,	82 27	
Rudolph King, labor,	1 75	
Arthur Shannon, "	7 00	
W. Cunningham, "	7 00	
		\$402 52

Total amount expended, \$1589 29

Balance, 56

State Highway.

Paid J. C. Thorne, men and teams, \$500 00

Rockville Sidewalk.

Appropriation,		\$140 00
Paid David Keefe, labor,	\$21 53	
Arthur Hudson, labor,	4 08	

Paid Allen Campbell, labor,	\$4 37	
Anton Braun, "	3 50	
J. Himelfarb, "	15 75	
T. J. McCarty, man,	16 62	
" team,	14 50	
L. Chamberlain, "	13 50	
E. L. Richardson, team,	26 92	
Thorne Bros., dynamite and fuse,	7 40	
Frank Smith, labor,	3 00	
Louis Symon, gravel,	7 40	
A. Humelfarb, sand,	95	
		\$139 52
Balance,		48

Concrete Walk.

Appropriation,	\$200 00
Paid John W. Moore, 266 2-3 yds. at 75c.,	200 00

Plain Street Sidewalk.

Appropriation,	\$50 00
Paid Thorne Brothers, men and teams,	50 00

Snow Bills.

Appropriation,	\$200 00
Paid G. C. Thrasher, labor,	\$1 50
Thorne Bros., cleaning and sanding walks,	13 55
Allen Campbell, labor,	2 87
Walter Campbell, "	2 87
John Henderson, "	1 00
Anton Braun, "	3 50
T. J. McOarty, team,	8 50
E. L. Richardson, team and labor,	10 95
Frank Braun, cleaning walks,	1 20
E. F. Richardson, team,	13 25

Paid C. E. Simpson, labor,	\$2 63	
E. F. Lovell, "	1 75	
Irving Clark, "	88	
Raymond Clark, "	2 63	
Robert Shannon, "	2 63	
Martin King,	88	
L. H. Demory, labor and horse,	5 06	
H. M. Smith, labor,	3 50	
Lemuel Clark, men and teams,	38 36	
T. H. Cunningham, men and teams,	39 65	
L. Chamberlain, man,	75	
Marshal Ackley, labor,	87	
Thorne Brothers, on account,	41 00	
		\$199 98

Balance, 02

Street Lights.

Appropriation,	\$800 00
Paid Edison Electric Illuminating Co.,	739 94
Balance,	\$60 06

Gypsy Moth.

Appropriations,	\$570 63
Paid Harris W. Alden, labor, team and supplies,	\$85 15
J. B. Parker, labor,	181 13
J. A. Finch, "	36 75
F. H. Holland, labor and supplies,	73 55
" horse,	19 00
New York & Boston Bag Co., bur- lap and twine,	21 55
Rudolph Kling, labor,	3 60
Raymond Clark, "	99 83
G. E. Holbrook, "	8 75

Paid J. B. Daniels, stamped envelopes,	5 32	
Clifford Hood, labor,	14 40	
Robert Shannon, "	21 60	
	— — —	\$570 63

State Aid.

Paid Clara Abbott,	\$48 00	
Clara E. Daggett,	48 00	
Eliza A. Hill,	48 00	
Eliza E. Mason,	48 00	
Geo. L. Myer,	48 00	
Olive M. Adams,	24 00	
Ellen M. Fuller,	32 00	
Almena C. Hanson,	48 00	
	— — —	\$344 00

Incidentals.

Appropriation,	\$1300 00	
Court fees,	137 00	
Junk licenses,	31 25	
Pool "	4 00	
1-2 inspection of animals,	30 00	
	— — —	\$1502 25

Paid J. C. Thorne, collector of taxes,	
1908,	\$156 50
Roland W. Mann, selectman 1908,	50 00
Elmer L. Richardson, " "	50 00
G. W. Woolvett, town reports and	
warrants,	132 50
G. W. Woolvett, warrants and	
notices,	24 77
G. W. Woolvett, 2000 letter heads,	7 00
W. H. Thorne, court fees,	141 64
A. E. Burtt, supplies,	74
Charles G. Brackett, assessor and	
expense,	117 15

Paid Louis LaCroix, assessor and expense,	\$85 20
Stanley A. Clark, " "	81 00
Lyman A. Cook, cattle inspector,	60 00
Stilman J. Spear, stationery,	11 75
Edison Electric Ill. Co., office and library,	13 20
A. R. Daniels, ballot clerk,	2 00
Geo. E. Staniford, " "	2 00
E. F. Lovell, teller,	2 00
Commissioners of Public Records, binding 3 vols. in 1 vol.,	6 00
J. B. Daniels, 500 stamp envelopes,	10 62
Library Bureau, Boston, assessors' supplies,	38 00
Fred B. Roach, auditor,	25 00
W. P. Clark, insurance,	20 57
Thorne Bros.; fuel for lockup,	2 50
J. R. McCooile, probate returns,	4 50
E. L. Burdakin, registry returns,	10 00
Rudolph King, watchman,	4 00
D. J. Murphy, police,	10 00
E. C. Simpson, " "	10 00
Horace Cushman, " "	10 00
Herbert Wiggin, " "	7 50
Malden Specialty Co., sealer's supplies,	1 00
Daniel C. Palmer, 1-2 pint liquid measure,	2 15
W. & L. E. Gurley, red and green seals,	3 59
W. H. Thorne, police and posting warrants,	99 55
Mrs. Houlahan, matron of lockup,	3 00
E. F. Lovell, labor and stock, town office,	6 50
Geo. G. Hoff, turning on heat,	10 00

Paid F. E. Allen, cleaning office,	\$2 09	
J. B. Fitzpatrick, court fees,	2 75	
L. A. Mann, expense to Haverhill,	6 00	
" " Boston,	2 90	
Hobbs & Warren, assessors' and collector's supplies,	4 50	
D. J. Murphy, teller,	2 00	
Geo. E. Staniford, "	2 00	
T. J. McCarty, police,	15 00	
E. F. Richardson, on account as treasurer,	80 43	
Louis LaCroix, town clerk and ex- pense,	33 25	
Louis LaCroix, fees paid physicians,	4 50	
" " undertakers,	4 00	
" recording births, mar- riages and deaths,	17 70	
" binding town reports,	3 00	
Geo. F. Holbrook, selectman,	50 00	
" expense,	2 30	
Mrs. George P. Simmons,	48 00	
	————	\$299 72
		————
		\$1502 25

Concrete Bridge.

Under date of Aug. 31, 1909, the town voted to appropriate \$7500.00 to be used in payment of one-half of the cost of a concrete bridge on Main street, over the Charles River. The plans and specifications covering the construction of which were to be approved by the county commissioners. In accordance with which your board in conjunction with the selectmen of Medfield, proceeded to secure bids from responsible contractors, and award was made to F. Stewart Son & Co., in the sum of \$12,500.00. Work commenced

early in October, and the structure was open for traffic during the month of December. It is expected that the structure will be completed early in the spring, until which time \$900.00 reserved by the towns of Medfield and Millis, one-half each. The structure has a 22 ft. roadway, and is about 120 feet long, and has an arch 60 feet in width.

Amount paid by town of Millis as follows:

Paid F. Stewart Son & Co., contractors,	\$5868 00
J. R. Worcester & Co., engineers,	579 80
Geo. C. Thrasher, tending lanterns,	17 80
	\$6462 60

GEORGE F. HOLBROOK,

EMER L. RICHARDSON,

ROLAND W. MANN,

Selectmen of Millis.

LIST OF JURORS.

Harry E. King, shoemaker, Exchange street.
George E. Staniford, photographer, Main street.
Lowell A. Mann, organ repairer, Main street.
Bernard F. Post, farmer, Main street.
Charles M. Choate, bottler, Main street.
Edward LaCroix, plumber, Main street.
Timothy J. McCarthy, farmer, Village street.
Henry E. Hosmer, carpenter, Plain street.
William T. Proe, machinist, Plain street.
Stanley A. Clark, farmer, Village street.
Walter H. Andrews, straw worker, Village street.
Edmund F. Lovell, painter, Curve street.

GEORGE F. HOLBROOK,
ELMER L. RICHARDSON,
ROLAND W. MANN,

Selectmen of Millis.



TREASURER'S REPORT

I herewith submit my report of the receipts and expenditures of the town for the year ending Jan. 31, 1910:

E. F. RICHARDSON, TREASURER,

In account with the TOWN OF MILLIS.

Balance on hand Feb. 1909,	\$198 89
Medway Savings bank demand notes in anticipation of taxes,	11,000 00
Medway Savings bank, 1 year note,	500 00
“ I “	440 00
“ “	257 30
“ bridge loan,	6,462 60
Selectmen, licences,	35 25
Court fees,	137 00
State of Mass. school fund,	1,033 35
“ corporation tax,	1,682 38
“ bank tax,	398 11
“ state aid,	360 00
“ high school tuition,	500 00
“ poor department,	97 46
“ inspection of animals,	30 00
“ state highway,	100 00
School supervision, George Lee,	312 50
Norfolk county dog tax returned,	227 43

City of Boston, tuition,	\$9 00
State of Mass., "	17 00
F. H. Holland, Jr., Elm tree beetle spraying,	11 63
United Cork & Seal Co., highway,	11 05
Interest Mary Adams fund,	21 40
Chas. F. Choate, cemetery lot,	4 00
Wm. Young, "	5 00
American Book Co.,	\$18 70
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.,	2 23
Dorchester Mutual Fire Ins. Co.,	5 17
M. J. West, supplies sold,	8 88
	34 98
J. C. Thorne, taxes,	17,490 13
" Street R. R. tax,	89 85
Interest account,	16 43
	\$41,482 74

Cr.

Selectmen's orders, highways,	\$1,700 34
" incidentals,	1,502 25
" snow,	199 98
" state aid,	344 00
" street lights,	739 94
" gypsy moth,	570 63
" Pleasant street sidewalk,	139 52
" Plain street "	50 00
" Special concrete "	200 00
" J. C. Thorne, state highway,	500 00
" Medfield and Millis bridge,	6,462 60
Overseers of poor, orders,	1,551 87
Fire engineers, "	900 00
School committee, "	7,254 83
Tree warden, "	100 00
Cemetery account,	46 40
James Dunston taxes,	1 76

Public library trustees, orders,	\$206 78
Water department sinking fund,	650 00
Memorial day committee,	60 00
Special school building committee,	45 97
Safe committee,	100 00
Elm leaf beetle committee,	326 63
State tax,	990 00
County tax,	619 59
Interest on water bonds,	1,200 00
State of Mass., note and interest,	840 00
Medway savings bank, demand notes in anticipation of taxes,	11,260 53
Medway savings bank, 1 year note and interest,	525 28
Cemetery commissioners,	9 00
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1910,	2,384 84
	\$41,482 74
Balance due public library,	232 71

Liabilities.

Loans from state of Mass., at 4 per cent. interest, due as follows:

Dec. 1, 1910,	\$750 00
" 1911,	750 00
Water bonds due Dec. 1925,	30,000 00
Medway savings bank note due Aug. 9, 1910,	440 00
" " Sept., "	257 30
" " Jan., 1911,	500 00

Respectfully submitted,

E. F. RICHARDSON,

Treasurer.

I have examined the accounts of the treasurer and find them correct.

EDMUND F. LOVELL,

Auditor.



We recommend an appropriation of \$1250.00. During the year we have entered suit and obtained judgment against the children of the late Mary Clark in the amount of \$510.00, but have not yet been able to collect it, and the case is still in the lawyer's hand.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation,	\$1500 00
State Chas. Parish,	70 46
“ Morris Cooper,	21 00
“ Philip Nathanson (1908),	6 00
	———— \$1597 46 1

EXPENDITURES.

Mrs. T. G. Welch and Children.

Paid cash,	\$125 00
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W. P. Frink.

Paid A. E. Burtt, groceries,	\$111 01	
Thorne Bros., fuel,	29 25	
J. C. Thorne, taxes,	14 85	
E. F. Richardson, milk,	12 41	
J. C. Brown, "	5 25	
		\$172 77

T. L. Fiske.

Paid W. L. Palmer, fuel,	\$18 50
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Wm. T. O'Neil.

Paid City of Boston, aid,	\$20 00	
State,	38 17	
		\$58 17

Peter Briere.

Paid State,	156 17
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Charles A. Powell.

Paid State,	\$79 37
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Charles Spencer.

Paid Thorne Bros., fuel,	\$24 00
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Douglas Knox.

Paid City of Worcester (1908),	\$2 86
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Maud Knox.

Paid City of Worcester (1908),	\$22 86
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Charles Parish and Family.

Wife settlement case.

Paid Town of Franklin, aid (1908),	\$258 60	
" "	273 87	
		\$532 47

Morris Cooper (State.)

Daid Dr. E. L. Hill, medical attendance,	\$36 00
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Ernest Villarmet.

Paid Town of Uxbridge, aid (1908),	\$24 00
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Sarah G. Morley.

Paid City of Newton, aid,	\$146 00
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INCIDENTALS.

Paid G. W. Woolvett, printing,	\$0 75	
L. A. Mann, expenses and supplies,	16 50	
Dr. E. L. Hill,	25 00	
Library, binding reports,	3 00	
H. H. Thorne, supplies,	6 45	
G. P. Holbrook, services in Mary		
Clark case,	12 00	
	————	\$63 70

SALARY ACCOUNT.

Paid F. Swarman,	\$20 00	
L. A. Mann,	30 00	
H. H. Thorne,	40 00	
	————	\$90 00

SUMMARY.

Amount received,	\$1597 46
“ spent,	1551 87
	————
Balance,	\$45 59

HERBERT H. THORNE,
L. A. MANN,
F. SWARMAN,
Overseers of the Poor.

REPORT OF THE WATER COM- MISSIONERS.

TO THE CITIZENS OF MILLIS:

The following is the amount of sinking fund on interest including dividends for 1909:

Dedham Institution of Savings,	\$1612 33
Medway Savings Bank,	1519 09
Newton "	1480 50
Natick "	1437 56
Home " of Boston,	1158 25
Milford "	1260 36
Newton Centre "	1165 04
Franklin "	1103 63
So. Framingham "	1039 78
Holliston "	969 62
	\$12746 16

JOSEPH S. ADAMS,
CHARLES LACROIX,
GEORGE G. HOFF,
Water Commissioners.

G. G. HOFF, WATER REGISTER,

In account with the Town of Millis Water Department.

Appleyard, A. E.	\$32 00
Albee, A. A.	9 00
Adams, J. S.	8 00
Adams, A. C.	12 50
Adams, Bicknell & Co.,	4 00
Babcock, A. J.	8 00
Buxton, W. R.	9 50
Barker, J. H.	12 00
Beal, John	20 00
Bradford, H. H.	12 00
Clark, W. P.	21 00
Clark, F. R.	14 50
Clark, J. W.	13 00
Clicquot Club Co.	25 87
Cunningham M. W.	20 00
Choate, C. M.	13 00
Clark, Mrs. Mary	12 00
Ceasar, Mrs. Henry	22 00
Congregational Church	4 00
Clark, E. N.	15 00
Day, Mrs. Martha	15 00
Dean, O. T.	14 00
Duhamel, N.	9 00
Daniels, Mrs. C.	8 00
Daniels, C. A.	15 00
Daniels, C. E.	16 00
Daniels, J. B.	15 00
Duhamel, Joseph	27 00
Dalpha, Joseph	24 00
Diwon, C. P.	12 00
Emerson, Mrs. C. W.	29 00
Fuller, B. W.	8 00
Folsom, J. S. est.	20 00

Frink, William	\$8 00
Frink, Samuel	7 35
Grange Hall association	8 50
Gately, Daniel	12 00
Holbrook, Ellen R.	4 00
Holbrook, G. P.	20 00
Harding, Thomas, est.	16 00
Hill, Mrs. E. A.	20 00
Hill, Dr. E. L.	18 00
Hanson, Mrs. J. W.	12 00
Hosmer, H. E.	22 00
Herman, J. M. & Co.	229 25
Hoff, G. G.	19 00
Huntley, Miss Laura	8 00
Hollander, T. C.	18 00
Henigan, Mrs. Thomas	14 00
Holder, I. C.	12 00
Hood, C. F.	12 00
Hill, Mrs. S. B.	32 00
Hoar, W. M.	4 00
Holland, F. H., Jr.	21 00
Ireland, Leonard	12 00
King, Martin L.	14 00
LaCroix, Charles	22 57
LaCroix, Edward	22 00
Lovell, E. F.	15 00
McMahan, Mrs. Thomas	8 00
Murphy, Daniel	8 00
Mannix, William, est.	8 00
Mason, Mrs. Eliza	6 00
Martinson, M. J.	12 00
Millis, H. L.	16 50
Mann, Lowell A.	9 00
McDonald, James	12 00

Morriil, George	\$5 00
Merrill, G. F.	14 00
N. Y., N. H. & H.	11 25
Neilson, George	14 00
Olson, John	13 00
Oliver, D. B.	48 00
Pitfield, E. P.	6 00
Payson, G. R.	10 00
Post, B. F.	15 00
Proe, William	12 00
Parker, J. B.	25 00
Pike, C. A.	10 00
Peck, F. M.	2 00
Rowell, W. D.	37 00
Richardson, E. F.	101 05
Roach, H. S.	12 00
Ruettinger, Charles	6 00
Reincke, W. F.	47 68
Slayton, Geo. C.	8 00
Slayton, J. C. F.	57 76
Stafford, Mrs. A.	23 00
Stone, Mrs. Julia	12 00
Shepardson, G. K.	15 00
Simpson, Mrs. C. E.	18 00
Stevens, Clark	12 00
Small, Mrs. Thomas	12 00
Shannon, J. H.	2 00
Thorne Bros.	108 94
Thorne, W. H.	12 00
Van Kleeck, W. L.	8 00
Woolvett, G. W.	8 00
Woolvett, Mrs. B. H.	91 00
Whiting, W. W., est.	14 00
Wright, Mrs. Jennie	12 00
Wight, Mrs. L. M.	8 00

Willard, Frank	\$12 00	
Whiting & Rowell	15 00	
West, M. J.	19 00	
Wade, H.	28 00	
Ward, Jennie	12 00	
Washburn, W. A.	7 00	
Ward, Mrs. Eliza	12 00	
Weber, T.	6 00	
		\$2103 22
Samuel Harvey for pipe,	\$1 08	
Fines,	2 00	
		3 08
		\$2106 30

Sinking Fund.

Received from town treasurer,	\$650 00
Deposited in Holliston Savings bank,	650 00

Cr.

Office expenses,	\$9 83	
Insurance on buildings,	30 00	
Coal,	649 91	
J. S. Adams, engineer's salary,	730 00	
G. G. Hoff, water register,	50 00	
		\$1439 74

Pumping Station expenses as follows:

N. E. I. & S.,	\$7 02
Freight,	75
J. F. Damon, machinist,	28 40
E. LaCroix, labor,	11 53
Walworth Mfg. Co.,	57 46
Jenkins Bros.,	8 10
B. W. Fuller,	8 88
J. S. Adams,	1 00
New England Iron works, repairing stack,	43 25

E. Toner, labor,	\$1 75	
Telephoning,	20	
Garlock Packing Co.,	5 67	
G. F. Blake, Mfg. Co., repair on pump,	39 43	
J. H. Shannon,	1 75	
		\$224 74

Repairing Water Mains.

J. Dineen,	\$15 00	
E. LaCroix,	4 32	
C. LaCroix,	18 07	
		\$37 39

New Work.

New meters,	\$52 75	
Express,	60	
Walworth Mfg. Co.,	4 51	
		\$57 86

Connecting J. H. Shannon House.

E. Toner, labor,	\$6 60	
J. McDonough,	4 50	
W. M. T. Miernan,	3 60	
E. LaCroix, labor and pipe,	9 36	
		\$24 06

Connecting F. M. Peck House.

E. LaCroix,	\$1 90	
C. LaCroix,	2 00	
		\$3 90

Connecting D. B. Oliver House.

E. LaCroix,	\$3 10	
C. LaCroix,	2 50	
		\$5 60
		\$1823 29

Summary.

Amount on hand last year,	\$373 87
Amount received this year,	2106 30
	\$2480 17
Amount paid out this year,	\$1823 29
Balance on hand,	\$656 88

Imaginary Report.

Received from water takers,	\$2103 22
" town for hydrants,	1200 00
" " water troughs,	50 00
" " school house,	15 00
" " Niagara hall,	12 00
" " Cemetery,	16 00
	\$3396 21

Paid Out.

Running expenses for year,	\$1822 29
Interest on water bonds,	1200 00
Sinking fund,	650 00
	\$3673 29
Shortage,	\$277 07

Respectfully snbmitted,

G. G. HOFF,

Water Register.

The accounts of the water register have been examined and found correct.

F. F. LOVELL,

Auditor.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BETTER SCHOOL ACCOM- MODATIONS.

"The committee considered several methods of improving the school accommodations, viz:

(1) Building a new four-room schoolhouse at an estimated cost of \$25,000.

(2) Building a new six-room schoolhouse at an estimated cost of \$32,000.

(3) Adding a two-room wing to the Adams schoolhouse at an estimated cost of \$5000.

(4) Building a new two-room schoolhouse to accommodate the high school at an estimated cost of \$5000.

(5) Building a one-room schoolhouse to accommodate the 1st and 2nd grades at an estimated cost of \$3300.

(6) Accepting the offer of the Grange to renovate the present schoolroom and toilet accommodations in Grange Hall and render them perfectly sanitary, for a rental of \$125 per year and 1-2 of the coal bill, instead of \$100 per year and 2-3 of the coal bill, as at present.

The Committee unanimously recommends the acceptance of the Grange Hall proposition, believing it to be the most economical as a temporary expedient; also believing that the only final satisfactory solution is the erection of a modern schoolhouse of sufficient size to accommodate all the grades and the high school, at no distant date."

The above report with its recommendation was accepted by the town at a special meeting held August 3, 1909, and

arrangements were accordingly consummated between the school committee and the grange.

The following sums of money were expended:

Appropriation,		\$50 00
Paid Architect,	\$40 00	
G. W. Woolvett,	2 50	
J. C. Thorne,	3 47	
		\$45 97
Balance,		\$4 03

Signed,

J. C. THORNE,
B. G. WILLARD,
ERNEST L. HILL,
J. H. SHANNON,
ROLAND W. MANN,
Committee.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS.

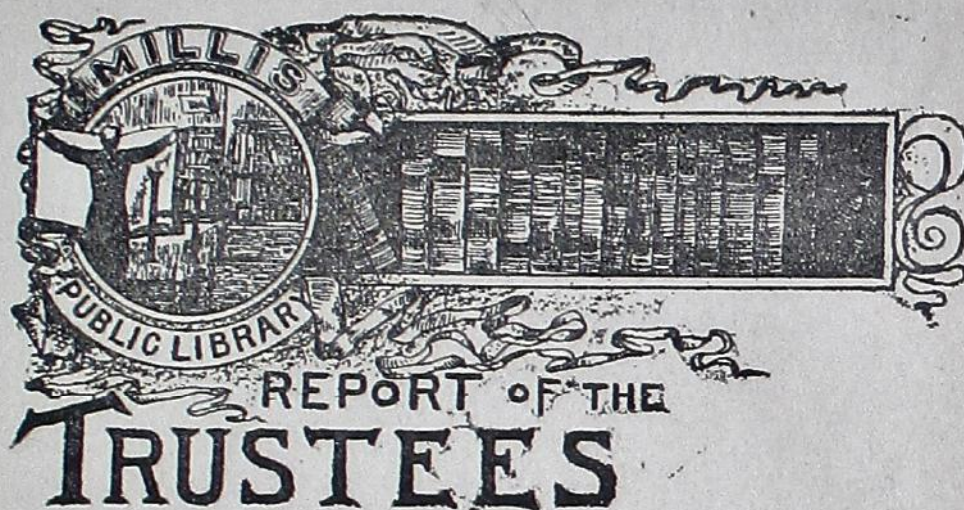
To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Millis:

I submit to you my report as inspector of animals.

One inspection of all neat cattle and premises has been made. Five cows have been quarantined, three of which have been killed and two released by the Cattle Bureau.

Respectfully submitted,

LYMAN A. COOK,
Inspector of Animals.



Receipts.

Feb. 1, 1909, Balance,	\$214 84	
Fines,	7 50	
For binding,	3 80	
Old books,	75	
Dog tax,	227 43	
From overseers for binding,	3 00	
		\$456 82
Due H. H. Thorne, library treasurer, ¹		2 79
		\$459 61

Expenditures.

Paid Mary C. Fuller, librarian,	\$41 50
Marian Smith, "	7 00
Edith Richardson, "	1 00
David Farquhar, binding,	142 45

Paid Herman Goldberger, magazines,	\$18 50	
DeWolfe, Fiske & Co., books,	1 83	
History of Newton,	3 00	
Journal of American History,	3 00	
Massachusetts Magazine,	2 50	
Painting,	2 62	
Freight and express,	3 50	
		\$226 90
Balance in town treasurer,		232 71
		\$459 61

H. H. THORNE,
Treasurer of Trustees.

List of Recent Additions to the Millis Public Library.

Abbott, John S. Lives of the Presidents of U. S. A.	920 Ab 2
Alden, W. L. Loss of the Swansea	Al 2
Avelwry, The Right Hon. On municipal and national trading	357 Av 2
Bacon, Dolores. Pictures that every child should know	927.5 B 13
Bailey, H. C. Colonel Greatheart	Al 2
Baird, S. F. History of North American birds, 3 vol.	598.2 B 11
Bindloss, Harold. Long odds	B 472
Brereton, Capt. F. S. Rough riders of the Pampas	B 74
Browning, Mrs. Poetical works	821.82 B 82
Burnett, Florence H. Good Wolf, The	B 93-7
Burton, Frederick R. Strongheart	B 95
Crawford, F. Marion. The white sister	C 85-29
Cutting, Mary Stewart. The Wayfarers	C 98
Donworth, Grace. Letters of Jennie Allen to her friend Miss Musgrove	D 71
Douglas, Amanda. Helen Grant, graduate	D 745
Drake, Samuel A. Historic mansions and high- ways around Boston,	974.46 D 78
New England legends and folklore	917.446 D 78
Old landmarks and historic personages of Boston	398.2 D 78
Evans, Robley D. A sailor's log	910.4 Eva 1
Finnemore, John. France	914.4 F 49
Italy	914.5 F 49
Forbush, Edw. Howe. Useful birds and their protection	598.2 B 11
Fox, John, Jr. Trail of the lonesome pine, The	F 832-3
Frost, John. North America	970 F 92

- Gordon, Lina Duff. Home life in Italy: letters
from the Appennines 945 G 65
H 812
- Hough, Emerson. 54-40 or Fight
- Howard, Maj.-Gen. O. O. My life and experiences
among our hostile Indians 920 H 83
- Howe, Henry. The great west 978 H 83
- Howe, Maud and Hall F. H. Laura Bridgeman 92 H 83
- Hurd, D. Hamilton. History of Norfolk County 920 H 93
- Hutton, Edward. Cities of Spain 946 H 97
Florence and the cities of
Northern Tuscany 914-55 H 97
- Jameson, E. O. Genealogical records of Medway 920 J 23
- Johnston, Annie F. Mary Ware: The little
colonel's chum J 653-3
- Johnston, Mary. Lewis Rand J 645-1
- Lane, Elinor M. Katrine L 24
- LeBras, Anatole. Land of pardons 944-1 L 49
- Lincoln, Joseph C. Cy Whittaker's place L 63-3
- Madeley, Rev. Edw. Science of correspondence 200 M 26
- MacDonald, Alexander. The white trail M 141
- MacGrath, Harold. The goose-girl M 175-2
- Marriott, Crittenden. Uncle Sam's business 300 M 11
- Marshall, Nina L. Moses and Lichens 580 M 35
- Martin, Helen R. Tillie M 362
- McNeil, Everett. Boy forty-niners, The M 232
- Mitchell, S. Weir. Red city, The M 694-5
- Montgomery, Harry E. Vital American problems 300 M 86
- Montgomery, L. M. Anne of Green Gables M 762
- Nadaillac, Marquis de. Manners and monuments
of prehistoric peoples 571 N 11
- Palmer, Frederick. Big fellow, The P 18-2
- Paterson, Arthur. Homes of Tennyson 173-7 T 25
- Pelham, H. F. Outlines of Roman history 937 P 33
- Post, Waldron K. Smith Brunt, a story of the navy, P 84
- Radford, Wm. A. House framing 720 R 11

- Raymond, Geo. L. Aztec God, The 497 R 11
 Life in a song, A 780 R 11
- Reed, Myrtle. Flower of the dusk R 252
- Richmond, Grace. Round the corner in Gay street R 41-1
- Rinehart, Mary Roberts. Circular staircase, The R 47
- Rowland, Henry C. Across Europe in a motor-boat 656 R 77
- Ruhl, Arthur Other Americans 918 R 85
- Singleton, Esther, ed. Turkey and the Baltic states 914.96 Si 6
- Spears, John R. Story of the New England whalers 527 Sp 3
- Spencer, J. A. History of the United States, 3 vols. 973 Sp 3
- Stringer, Arthur. Wire Tappers, The St 83
- Trent, Wm. P. History of American literature 810.9 T 71
- Trow, Chas. E. Old shipmates of Salem, The T 742
- Tuttle, Hudson. Arcana of nature 575 T 88
- Valentine, E. Seton. Travels in space 533.6 V 23
- Van Dyke, Henry. Out of doors in the Holy Land 915.69 V 28
- Vital Records. Hamilton, Dudley,
 Essex, Beverly, vol. 2
- Waite, Ernest L. History of Nineteenth Reg. Mass. Volunteers 973.7 W 13
- Wells, Carolyn. Patty Fairfield W 46-1
 Patty's Friends W 46-2
 Patty in the city W 46-3
- White, William Allen. A certain rich man W 584-2

LOUIS LACROIX,
 HERBERT H. THORNE,
 EDW. E. ADAMS,

Trustees.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

Dr.

To warrant,	\$18,190 98
Excise tax,	89 95
Interest and additional taxes,	18 46
	————\$18,299 29

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By amount paid treasurer,	\$17,579 98
Abatements, 1909,	719 31
	————\$18,299 29

Respectfully submitted,

J. CLARENCE THORNE,

Collector.

Millis, Feb. 7, 1910.

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

Number resident persons assessed on property,	272
All others,	2
Number of non-residents assessed on property,	173
All others,	6
Number of persons assessed a poll tax only,	218
Whole number of male polls assessed,	330
Value of assessed personal estate,	\$205,785 00
Value of real estate, land including buildings,	236,370 00
" buildings including land,	552,915 00
State tax,	990 00
County tax,	619 59
Town tax,	16,135 32
Rate per thousand,	17 60
Number of horses,	189
" cows,	458
Neat cattle other than cows,	104
Number sheep,	13
Number swine,	40
Number dwelling houses,	258
Number acres land assessed,	7207 3-8
Number fowls,	2985

LOUIS LACROIX,
STANLEY A. CLARK,
Assessors of Millis.

ENGINEERS REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fires.

March 19. Woods (Warren Heath).
 " " (H. H. Bradford).
 " 23. Grass (W. T. Reincke).
 " 27. " (Tom Maloy).
 April 6. " (J. Delphi).
 " 8. " (C. W. Brackett).
 " 22. Barn (Thorne Bros.)
 Dec. 4. Studio (near River).

Rockville.

May 2. Woods (Frank Daniels).
 " 6. " (Lewis Richardson).
 " 19. " "

Bills Approved.

Appropriation,	\$600 00
Thorne Bros.,	\$34 85
J. H. Shannon,	4 75
A. M. Waite,	28 00
W. H. Thorne,	4 75
Charles LaCroix,	10 00
Charles LaCroix,	12 00
John W. Cribbie,	12 00

E. F. Richardson,	\$12 00	
John W. Cribbie,	2 73	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	7 02	
B. W. Fuller,	3 39	
Edison Electric Light Co.,	5 50	
O. T. Dean, insurance,	6 00	
Cyrus Sawyer, clerk,	25 75	
"	9 00	
" clerk,	65 00	
E. F. Lovell, treasurer,	245 50	
F. H. Holland,	10 75	
Edison Electric Light Co.,	2 00	
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.,	2 00	
Edward Wiggin,	10 00	
Frank Braun,	3 00	
A. E. Burt,	8 42	
W. P. Frink,	9 25	
Standard Extinguisher Co.,	10 20	
Edison Electric Light Co.,	3 00	
E. L. Richardson,	4 00	
Witten, Hardwick & Son,	1 50	
Edison Electric Light Co.,	3 00	
E. F. Richardson, insurance,	30 72	
Edison Electric Light Co.,	2 00	
E. W. Tinkham,	1 92	
Charles LaCroix,	10 00	
	————	\$600 00
Special appropriation for hose,		300 00
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.,		300 00

The board of engineers would recommend the sum of \$600.00 for the ensuing year.

CHARLES LACROIX,
J. C. THORNE,

Fire Engineers.



TREE WARDEN'S REPORT.

Appropriation, to include cutting brush, \$100 00

Expended on Brush Work.

E. Simpson,	\$10 00	
D. Keefe,	7 00	
J. J. Gannon,	54 24	
J. B. Parker,	3 60	
R. Clark,	3 60	
L. LaCroix,	7 40	
		\$85 84

Trees.

L. LaCroix,	\$9 64	
F. H. Holland, Jr.,	1 87	
J. H. Shannon,	2 65	
		\$14 16
		\$100 00

LOUIS LACROIX,
Tree Warden.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SAFES.

The committee purchased four safes; one for the selectmen, one for the overseers of the poor, one for the water register, and one for the town treasurer. They were all marked town of Millis and cost

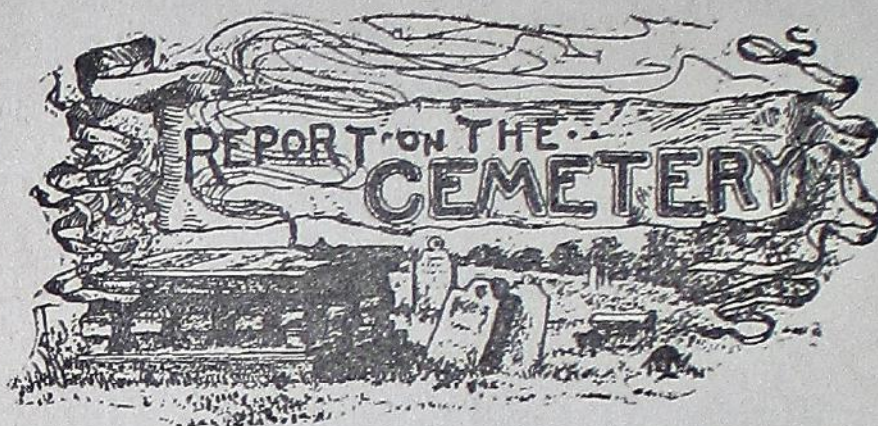
\$95 00

Moving,

5 00

 \$100 00

Respectfully submitted,
ELMER L. RICHARDSON,
HERBERT H. THORNE,
E. F. RICHARDSON,
Safe Committee.



The Cemetery Commissioners submit the following report:

Receipts.

Appropriation,	\$25 00	
Received from Mary Adams fund,	21 40	
		\$46 40

Expended.

G. E. Staniford, labor,	\$10 00	
L. A. Mann, "	18 20	
E. T. Richardson "	18 20	
		\$46 40

The following sums are on deposit in the Medway Savings bank, interest to be expended in the care of the lots.

June 17, 1907.	Stephen Smith lot,	\$50 00
Sept. 9, 1907.	Wm. Hunting lot,	50 00
Aug. 24, 1907.	Nathan Jones, lot and tomb,	100 00
Jan. 20, 1909.	Jonathan Adams lot,	50 00
July 19, 1909.	Horace Jones lot,	100 00

Interest of \$10.58 has been collected from the above and expended on the lots.

FRED SWARMAN,
L. A. MANN,
E. F. RICHARDSON,
Cemetery Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE GYPSY MOTH SUPERINTENDENT.

To the Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the third annual report of the gypsy moth work.

The conditions are much better than last year at this time.

Some of the worst infestations have disappeared.

Much work has been done by property owners in the way of pruning, filling cavities and spraying.

At the north end of the town, in the infested orchards where the owners sprayed their trees, no nests were found.

The parasites which the state is sending out, appeared in two colonies last summer, and completely cleaned out the caterpillars.

This spring, the state forester, is offering free of charge, the services of an expert on fruit trees, to any one who wishes to properly prune and protect his orchard.

The worst infestations this year are on white oaks and willows.

Respectfully,

FRED H. HOLLAND, JR.,
Local Superintendent.

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS.

Mary Adams fund,	\$855 68
Interest to Dec. 1, 1909,	34 14
Received William Young lot	5 00
" Chas. Choate lot,	4 00
	\$898 82
Interest withdrawn,	21 40
	\$877 42
Joseph Harding fund, balance on hand,	\$116 27
Interest to Dec. 1, 1909,	12 76
	\$329 03
Expended care of lot,	2 00
Balance Feb. 1, 1919,	\$327 03
Mary Lovell fund,	369 94
Interest to Dec. 1, 1909,	14 92
	\$384 86
Withdrew for care of lots,	6 00
Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1910,	\$378 86

Respectfully,
E. F. RICHARDSON,
Treasurer Cemetery Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE.

Expense.

Music,	\$10 00	
Flags,	6 35	
Flowers,	11 55	
Speaker,	8 00	
Barge,	3 00	
Carfares G. A. R.,	2 00	
G. W. Woolvett,	2 50	
Hall and crockery,	2 00	
Food, &c., for dinner,	14 60	
	-----	\$60 00
Appropriation,		75 00

Balance,		\$15 00

G. P. HOLBROOK,
E. F. LOVELL,

Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EX- TERMINATION OF ELM LEAF BEETLE.

Appropriations 1909, annual meeting,	\$150 00
April "	125 00
June "	40 00
Collected from individual owners,	11 63
	\$326 63

Expenditures.

Sprayer and fixtures,	\$208 35	
C. LaCroix, carbonic acid gas,	16 97	
Thorne Bros., poison, &c.,	22 00	
P. H. Holland, Jr., labor and team,	20 63	
J. B. Parker, labor,	13 80	
R. Clark, "	21 10	
E. W. Stafford, "	17 50	
		\$326 63

Total number trees sprayed, 342.

LOUIS LACROIX,
FRED H. HOLLAND,
Elm Leaf Committee.

Millis, Jan. 31, 1910.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The following is the account of all money received and expended by the school department:

RECEIPTS.

Annual grant for schools,	\$4450 00
From the state for superintendent,	312 50
“ income of state school fund,	1033 35
“ state for high school,	500 00
“ tuition of state wards,	9 00
“ “ city of Boston,	17 00
“ insurance dividend,	5 17
“ L. F. Knott Apparatus Co.,	2 23
“ American Book Co.,	18 70
“ M. J. West, supplies sold,	8 88
	\$6356 83

EXPENDITURES.

Supervision.

M. J. West, superintendent,	\$400 00
B. G. Willard, school committee,	20 00
J. W. Crowther, “	20 00
O. T. Dean, “	20 00
W. H. Thorne, truant officer,	5 00
T. J. McCarty, “	5 00
	\$470 00

Wages of Teachers.

Charles E. Sylvester,	\$937 50
Elizabeth I. O'Neill,	520 00

Idamae Wood,	\$88 00	
Gertrude L. Farmer,	198 00	
Laura M. Campbell,	308 00	
Bertha G. Andrews,	360 00	
Mattie M. Lawn,	180 00	
Laura A. Baker,	350 00	
Violet H. Barnes,	414 00	
Ethel F. Wood,	396 00	
Mary L. Vose,	161 25	
Lillian Hale,	30 00	
		\$3952 75

Care of School Houses.

S. A. Frink, janitor Adams school,	\$400 00	
Thomas King, janitor Ellice school,	27 00	
Violet H. Barnes, " "	4 50	
J. W. Henderson, " "	22 50	
		\$454 00

Fuel.

Thorne Bros., coal,	\$470 91	
E. F. Richardson, wood,	27 01	
		\$497 92

Temporary Repairs.

Anson F. Angley, curtains,	\$8 40	
S. H. Frink, moving desks,	3 50	
C. W. Hill, plastering,	4 89	
American Seating Co., desks,	20 00	
E. F. Lovell, painting at Adams school,	4 80	
" " Ellice School,	65 00	
Cole & Smith, new floor and repairs,	92 20	
Edward LaCroix, repairs,	6 75	
L. A. Mann, "	6 00	
		\$211 54

Permanent Improvements, Rent and Insurance.

Grange Hall association, rent,	\$100 00	
O. T. Dean, insurance,	65 24	
Elmer A. Lord & Co., insurance,	17 10	
Edward LaCroix, stair rails, &c.,	32 00	
	————	\$214 34

Books and Supplies.

J. L. Hammett & Co., supplies,	\$131 38	
Edward E. Babb & Co., " and books,	84 66	
Amerian Book Co., books,	70 21	
Ginn & Co., " "	27 40	
D. C. Heath & Co., " "	15 38	
Allyn & Bacon, " "	46 52	
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., apparatus,	19 47	
De Wolfe Fiske Co., books,	2 50	
Educational Publishing Co., books,	1 00	
Thompson-Brown Co., " "	7 88	
Charles E. Merrill Co., " "	4 31	
Houghton Mifflin Co., " "	4 76	
The Davis Press, " "	1 50	
G. W. Woolvett, printing,	3 50	
G. L. Danphinee, supplies,	1 43	
Flora A. Whiting, music,	27	
M. J. West, supplies paid for,	17 72	
	————	\$439 89

Incidentals.

G. W. Woolvett, printing annual reports,	
&c.,	\$27 25
Masury-Young Ce., nodusto,	30 25
E. L. Hill, M. D., medical inspection,	20 00
M. J. West, taking school census,	8 00
C. F. Hovey & Co., towels,	2 85
L. A. Mann, taking down storm porches,	2 00

F. W. Martin Co., engrossing diplomas,	\$1 80	
J. Warren Clark, sharpening lawn mower,	1 50	
Ethel F. Wood, paid laundry on towels,	2 25	
Chas. B. Sylvester,	5 00	
J. W. Crowther,	94	
Eugene Coddington, cleaning clock,	85	
B. W. Fuller,	13 70	
	—	\$116 39

State School Fund.

Income from state school fund,	\$1033 35
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EXPENDED.

C. B. Sylvester,	\$300 00	
Elizabeth I. O'Neill,	100 00	
Laura M. Campbell,	54 00	
Mattie M. Lawn,	54 00	
Laura A. Baker,	54 00	
Bertha G. Andrews,	54 00	
Violet H. Barnes,	108 00	
Ethel F. Wood,	108 00	
Mary L. Vose,	150 00	
Lillian Hale,	30 00	
Edw. E. Babb & Co.,	21 35	
	—	\$1033 35

Summary.

Supervision,	\$470 00
Wages of teachers,	3952 75
Care of schoolhouses,	454 00
Fuel,	497 92
Temporary repairs,	211 54
Permanent improvements, rent and insurance,	214 34

Books and supplies,	\$439 89	
Incidentals,	116 39	
		\$6356 83

Transportation.

Amount appropriated,	\$1000 00
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EXPENDED.

Harris Rotman,	\$303 00	
Bernard Post,	90 00	
Antonio d'Angeles,	75 00	
Medfield & Medway St. Ry. Co.,	150 00	
E. C. Smith,	280 00	
		\$898 00

Balance unexpended,	\$102 00
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In presenting estimates for the year 1910, your committee calls attention to the following items:

Wages of Teachers. Last year the estimate of the amount required for wages of teachers was made with the intention, which was expressed, of raising the salaries of several teachers in the fall. Those raises did not become operative until the opening of the new school year in September, which was at the middle of the fiscal year. The amount recommended is the amount required to pay the teachers their present salaries for the coming year.

Ordinary Repairs. The amount herein recommended is intended to include considerable inside painting, which must be attended to at once in the Adams school.

Special Appropriation. Although the roof of the Ellice School has been very carefully patched and repaired recently, once, no longer ago than last summer, yet the heavy storms in the late fall caused it to leak again badly, and it must be shingled immediately unless much of the inside work done there last year is to be destroyed. The estimated cost is

\$175, and your committee earnestly recommend that the amount be appropriated.

Transportation. Your committee was able to keep the cost of transportation well within the amount appropriated; first by having secured a more favorable contract for transportation to the North End of the town, and secondly on account of the very mild weather in November. However, with a likelihood of a large number to be transported from Rockville next year, and the possibility of more severe weather in the fall than in the past year, \$1000 seems to be a not excessive estimate of the probable cost.

We recommend the following appropriations for 1910:

Supervision,	\$470 00	
Wages of teachers,	4140 00	
Care of schoolhouses,	455 00	
Fuel,	540 00	
Books and supplies,	500 00	
Temporary repairs,	350 00	
Permanent improvements, rent and insurance,	125 00	
Incidentals,	150 00	
	—————	\$6730 00
Estimated receipts from the state and other sources,		1880 00
		—————
		\$4850 00
Special appropriation,		\$175 00
Transportation,		1000 00

Respectfully submitted,

B. G. WILLARD,
J. W. CROWTHER,
O. T. DEAN,

School Committee.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

BERTEL G. WILLARD, Chairman,	term expires 1912
JOHN W. CROWTHER, Secretary,	" 1910
OSGOOD T. DEAN,	" 1911

Superintendent of Schools.

M. J. WEST.

Truant Officers.

W. A. THORNE,

TIMOTHY J. McCARTY.

Teachers.

ADAMS SCHOOL.

Grades.	Where Educated.	Salary.
High	Charles B. Sylvester, A. M., Prin., Dartmouth College,	\$975
	Elizabeth I. O'Neill, A.B., Assistant, Radcliffe College.	560
VII-VIII.	Laura M. Campbell, Boston Girls' Latin School,	366
V-VI.	Mattie M. Lawn, Castine Normal School,	360
III-IV.	Bertha G. Andrews, Bridgewater Normal School,	360

GRANGE HALL SCHOOL.

I-II. Laura A. Baker, Kintergarten Training School,	360
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ELLICE SCHOOL.

IV-VII. Violet H. Barnes, Prin., Bangor High School and Radcliffe College,	432
I-III. Ethel F. Wood, Medfield High School,	396

Supervisor of Music.

Mary L. Vose, New School of Methods,	180
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Supervisor of Drawing.

Lillian Hale,	60
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Resignations.

Idamae Wood,

Gertrude L. Farmer.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF MILLIS:

I herewith submit my annual report, which is the eighth since the organization of the superintendency district.

It gives me great pleasure to record a change of but one teacher during the summer vacation, consequently nearly all the work has moved along with a steadiness, confidence and cumulative force that is producing the present favorable condition which must be manifest to those who follow with interest, the efforts being made to improve our schools.

Certainly, there is satisfaction in the feeling that we are doing well, but we should not allow our satisfaction to cause us to relax our efforts to improve.

The agitation of last year for better school accommodations led to improvements, in some particulars, at the Grange Hall School, but the conditions there are far from ideal. The Adams School building is rapidly becoming inadequate for the equipment of a fairly up-to-date school. We are crowded for room. The high school recitation rooms are extremely small and devoid of proper equipment and ventilation; the corridors and the hanging rooms for clothing are very limited, poorly arranged and unsatisfactory. The provision made for the care of children during recesses and the noon hour on rainy days are utterly inadequate.

A modern school requires room, not only for seating with desks, but for conveniences outside of the immediate school-room; plentiful sanitary toilet closets, ventilated racks for clothing, sanitary appliances for supplying drinking water, lunch rooms, and rooms for laboratory and industrial training

work, and a chance for indoor games and training in physical development. All arguments goes to show and experience proves that these things, which I have enumerated, tend to healthful, moral, mental and physical well being of pupils. The children of Millis are entitled to these advantages and it is within the power of the parents to furnish them.

Prompted by investigations into the danger of communicating disease through the medium of the common drinking cup, the State Board of Health, through its inspectors, has been making inquiries into the methods of furnishing drinking water to school children, and no doubt we shall soon be forced by law to provide some method of doing away with the common drinking cup, therefore I recommend that sanitary drinking fountains be provided in the Adams School without undue delay.

Last year mention was made of the increased efficiency of our high school, and I am glad to report that the improvement has continued and increased the current year. The gain certainly justifies your judgment in providing inducements to the efficient teachers to continue with us this year. The placing of our high school by the State Board of Education, upon the approved list of schools whose pupils enter the Normal schools examination, and the excellent standing of our graduates in the Framingham Normal School and in other schools, puts the responsibility upon us to continue to deserve our good reputation, by holding to our present standard of scholarship in every particular. We certainly need another teacher. Of the nine who were graduated last June, one is teaching, two are in the Framingham Normal School, and three are in commercial school. The class to be graduated this year number six, one of the number completing the required number of points in three years. Our thanks are due to last year's class for the present of valuable books to the school library.

The excellent report of the supervisor of music is submitted herewith, and through it some idea can be gained of the work done and attempted in this subject, but no report can convey, in more than a small measure, a knowledge of the great improvement that has been made in three years. The crude results obtained previous to the time when this subject was placed in the care of a supervisor, have been supplanted by a product of some degree of superiority, and our pupils now approach the subject with pleasure and confidence. It is the steady pull rather than the spectacular, that brings about results that should be desired, and the all around work of the year is counting for more than any previous year.

Drawing is offered as a subject in the high school, as required by law, and its election as a study by some of the pupils made it necessary to provide for teaching the subject. The program was overcrowded for the two teachers to such an extent that they could not do this additional work, neither should it be expected of regular high school teachers.

Lack of funds prevented the employment of an experienced supervisor, therefore what seemed to be the best under the circumstances has been attempted. Miss Lillian Hale of Dedham, has been a student of art and drawing for several years and wished to familiarize herself with public school work along these lines. For a nominal sum to little more than cover her traveling expenses, she has undertaken to give one lesson a week to all the schools and to advise with the teachers about the work. The results have warranted the outlay, but like the work in music, drawing is a subject that will not show great immediate results. Time is required for growth and practice in the application of the principles.

Miss Hale submits herewith a short statement in regard to the drawing, and I recommend the extension of this work next year.

Our percentage of attendance for the year 1908-09 is slightly above that of the year before, but not up to the average of the state.

The Jewish holidays are a serious handicap to a high percentage of attendance. Thus far this year we have had no epidemic of disease and some improvement in attendance is noted, especially in the high school, up to the time of the severe weather of the preceding month. The failure of the electric cars to run regularly has caused many absent marks. Cases of persistent absence from school have been few and the duties of the truant officers have been light thus far. We hope to make a better showing in attendance, during the remainder of the year.

The provision which has been made for more systematic medical inspection, I believe to be a move in the right direction, and the teachers are urged to co-operate with the physician by calling his attention to cases that need looking after.

Education, whether given the name of industrial, vocational or cultural, should cultivate the art of knowing how to live, and a well ordered life must include the virtues of frugality and thrift. We have no doubt that a universal adoption of these virtues would make the many homes and asylums for the destitute, unfortunate and aged unnecessary. That the importance of these virtues is recognized, is evidenced by the establishment of a penny savings system in our schools. This matter was discussed at the East Medway Grange on October 6th, and as a result the expense of founding the system which amounted to \$28.50 was paid by six members of the grange. The stamp system is used and some delay in obtaining a supply deferred the first collection of money to Jan. 7, 1910. The stamps are on sale Friday of each week, and the four weeks in January brought in \$54.72, from 103 children.

The new floor in the East room at the Ellice school is a decided improvement and the paint on the outside of the

building and on the fence was a needed protection. The roof has been patched for two years, and new shingling seems to be necessary to stop the leaks.

We have a problem in this school, to take care of the increasing number of pupils. Up to date, this year, ninety different pupils have been registered, even with the eighth grade sent to the Adams School. The present seventh grade contains eleven pupils, and if they are all sent to the Adams School next year the expense of transportation will be considerable.

Teachers there have to deal with some children who cannot speak English, and in quite numerous instances, cannot understand it. It is unfortunate to be obliged to place so many grades of children of this kind in the care of one teacher, and expect her to contend with all of these obstacles successfully. The faithful work of the present teachers should receive a greater financial reward.

In closing I feel it my duty to again call your attention to the low salaries paid to our teachers, and to urge upon you the necessity of a change in this respect. At least \$250 or \$300 more should be added for our teachers next year. I appreciate the gradual rise, year by year, in the school appropriation, but I am also aware that we are considerably below our neighbors.

We have a conscientious, hardworking group of teachers, and I wish to publicly expressed to them my appreciation of their loyalty, and to the committee for counsel that has helped to place our schools on the present good basis.

Respectfully submitted,

M. J. WEST,
Superintendent of Schools.

Millis, Mass., Jan. 31, 1910.

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC.

MR. M. J. WEST,
Superintendent of Schools.

Dear Sir: I have the pleasure of submitting my third annual report relative to the work in music.

In reviewing, I feel that we are steadily advancing year by year. The general plan of work is similar to that of last year, except that more attention is being paid to individual singing and with good results, proving a means of musical development, especially in the lower grades.

More time has been given to the blending of voices and drills for tone focus, resulting in a general improvement in the tone quality of the singing voice. There is of course, much to be desired in this line, but, by the perseverance of the grade teachers, I hope to obtain softness, sweetness and purity of tone, which constitute much of the work of the first three years.

In connection with vocal drills, the representation of the various rhythms is placed before the pupil, which he is taught to sing, then write in a measure of given meter with correct note values.

In connection with tone development work founded on the scale, two other elements are introduced: (1). Major and minor combinations and effects. In the fourth grades the normal minor scale is taught. In the fifth and sixth grades the harmonic form of the minor scale, and in the seventh and eighth grades the melodic form of the minor scale. (2). The Chromatic scale. Such chromatics as sharp four; flat seven and sharp two are mastered in the

fourth grade, sharp one and sharp six in the fifth, etc., until in the eighth grade the scale has been learned step by step, then the pupil is taught to sing and write it as a whole.

The ear training work has progressed finely and the number of monotones is less than last year. A summary of the work is as follows: Rote songs, scale as a whole, relation of scale tones, oral tonal and tonal written dictation, metric dictation, solfeggio, singing and writing of major scales, three forms of minor scale, chromatic scale, six varieties of rhythm, simple melody-writing, reading in eleven keys and singing in two, three and four-voice part. There has been an improvement in the sight reading of members of the high school chorus. Two years ago a new song was, with a few exceptions, practically learned "by ear;" now each part can be sung at sight by syllables, and better work is being done than last year in song interpretation.

The seventh and eighth grades have not been able to cover quite as much technical work, owing to a short period allowed for music, which seemed necessary. Unfortunately, we cannot attain as high a standard as schools of one grade in a room, for one class must do work either below or in advance of its grade.

I have tried to plan the work in as systematic a way as possible to suit the existing conditions. Next year I advise a "Course for Study."

February 12th, 1909, an appropriate program was given at Grange Hall, each grade being represented by one or more music numbers.

I feel that the Rockville schools need a word of praise. There the conditions—three and four grades in a room—present a problem which the teachers are faithfully working out and the good results are due to their hearty cooperation and efforts. Excellent work in ear training has been accomplished in grades one-three, and the pitch and quality of tone improved in all grades. The ear is the most important

organ in music, hence the importance of a child's getting a correct sense of pitch from the start.

We do not expect to make great musicians of school children, that must be left for private instruction, but we can cultivate a taste for good music, also the ability to recognize and sing good songs by careful instruction in music principles, and from practice of singing good music. The grade teacher must use wisdom in dividing the time between theory and practice, one without the other being useless.

Longfellow said—"Music is the universal language of mankind." If so, this emotional language should be understood by all.

This year as in the past, I have meet with cheerful co-operation from teachers and superintendent, which is deeply appreciated. I also, thank the members of the school board for their able support.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY L. VOSE.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING.

MR. M. J. WEST, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Dear Sir: I herewith submit the first report of a supervisor of drawing for the town of Millis.

As drawing has not previously being under the direction of a special supervisor, I have been obliged to treat the study somewhat as a new subject, and in doing so have considered the aim, advantages, plan of the work and the results. Drawing if properly taught, trains the eye to see and the hand to represent truthfully any object in nature.

This knowledge when once mastered can be applied in a hundred directions. When the steps of drawing have been logically taught throughout the grades and high school, a pupil should be able to draw correctly any common object of fairly simple lines and proportions; a house or an interior, such as the corner of a room and everything in it.

General plan for the year:

Grades one, two, three and four.—Two dimension work.

Grades five, six, seven, eight and high school.—Two dimension work leading to three dimension work.

General plan by months and classes:

Grange Hall school, grades one and two.

Sept. and Oct. Nature work, sphere, circle, square.

Nov. Lines: Curved, straight.

Surface: Curved, plane.

Dec. Constructive work.

Jan., Feb. and March: Square, circle.

Judging distances 1 to 5 inches.

Locations, top, bottom, etc.

Ellice School.—Grades one, two and three.

Sept., Oct. and Nov.,

Surfaces: Curved, plane.

Lines: Curved, straight, vertical, horizontal, oblique.

Sphere: Nature work, free hand practice, circles and vertical lines.

Dec. Constructive work.

Jan. and Feb. Locations, imaginative work.

Adams school.—Grades three and four.

Sept. Surface: Curved, plane; sphere, circle; lines, vertical, horizontal, oblique.

Oct. and Nov. Color and nature work, and illustrative work.

Dec. Constructive work.

Jan. and Feb. Free hand practice drawing straight lines, vertical, horizontal, square; clay modeling cube and sphere.

Grades five and six.

Sept. and Oct. Surfaces; curved, plane; lines, curved; straight, vertical, horizontal, oblique; sphere, circle, ellipse, cube; edge, corner, square.

Nov. and Dec. Object drawing, nature work, constructive work.

Jan. and Feb. Perspective problems.

Ellice school.—Grades four, five, six, seven.

Sept. and Oct. Sphere, surface, pencil holding, nature work, object drawing.

Nov. Object drawing.

Dec. Constructive work.

Jan. and Feb. Mechanical drawing, measuring, lettering.

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Sphere: Nature work, free hand practice, circles and vertical lines.

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Grades five and six.

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Nov. and Dec. Object drawing, nature work, constructive work.

Jan. and Feb. Perspective problems.

Ellice school.—Grades four, five, six, seven.

Sept. and Oct. Sphere, surface, pencil holding, nature work, object drawing.

Nov. Object drawing.

Dec. Constructive work.

Jan. and Feb. Mechanical drawing, measuring, lettering.

Adams school.—Grades seven and eight.

Sept. and Oct. Surfaces: Curved, plane; sphere, circle, cube, edge, corner, square; lines, curved, straight, circle; ellipse, vertical, horizontal, oblique.

Nov. Nature work.

Dec. Constructive work.

Jan. and Feb. Perspective problems.

High school.—Eight pupils.

Sept. Short talks by teacher; Drawing, its meaning, application and uses. Pencil holding, tests. Study first principles law of foreshortening. Pencil practice.

Oct., Nov. Object drawing, nature work.

Dec. Design and constructive work.

Jan. and Feb. Object drawing.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN HALE.

Jan. 31, 1910.

TRUANT OFFICERS' REPORTS.

Mr. M. J. West, Superintendent of Schools.

Dear Sir: During the past year, I have attended to nine cases of truancy.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. THORNE,

Truant Officer.

Mr. M. J. West, Superintendent of Schools.

Dear Sir: I have attended to four cases of truancy during the past year at Rockville.

Respectfully submitted,

T. J. McCARTY,

Truant Officer.

*ROLL OF HONOR.

Four Years.

Moses Lovell.

Two Years.

Louisa F. Choate.

One Year.

John Sullivan, Alice Cassidy, Mary Niland.

Two Terms.

Nettie B. Rice, Carlotta Hoenemann, Dennis Murphy, George J. LaCroix, Dorothy Hoff, Thomas Keefe, Francis McMurry, Eva Willard, Helen Olson, Ralph Holder, Susie Cassidy, Mildred Ireland, Marjorie Richardson, Laura Olson, Agnes Moran, Katie Niland, James Tiernan

One Term.

Walter W. Hoar, Willard D. Roach, Lloyd C. King, Dorothy Holden, John Wiggin, Millard B. LaCroix, Sadie Holder, Lethadell Morrill, James Keefe, Charles McDonough, Hazel Harding, Ada Jefferson, Edward Moscowitz, Carrie Hill, Nesbit Clark, Francis Sheehan, Charles d'Angelos, Marcus Tiernan, John Tiernan, Agnes Murphy, Violet Oakes, Ruth Thrasher, Helen Richardson, Harold Simpson, Emelie Brushak, Alice Clark, Althea Clark, Josephine Thrasher, Lillian Ward, Gladys Oliver, Ruth Richardson, William Jefferson, Theodore Dalpe, Raymond Frink, Elbridge Clark, James Doherty, Mary Collins, Agnes Gately, Mary Hunt, Anton Braun, Lucy King, Annie Ingraham, John Ingraham, Dorothy Clark, Chas. Cushman, Esther Daniel, Hiram LaCroix.

*Neither absent nor tardy.

GRADUATING EXERCISES

OF THE
CLASS OF 1909
MILLIS HIGH SCHOOL

AT THE
Congregational Church
FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 1909
At 8 o'clock

Knowledge is Power.
Class Colors—Blue and Gold.

Program

March

Invocation

Chorus: On Gallant Company

Becker

Solutary and Essay, Common Superstitions

Carlotta E. Hoenemann

Trio: The Fairies' Moonlight Dance

Gregh

Dorothy Holden, Edith F. Richardson,

Effie L. Holder

Honor Essay: Historical Millis

Gladys F. Dean

Chorus: Beauteous Waltz

Taylor

Scene from The School of Scandal

Sheridan

Sir Peter Teazle,

James W. Payson

Sir Charles Surface,

Earl R. K. Daniels

Sir Joseph Surface,

Dennis J. Murphy

Servant to Sir Joseph,

Harold W. Whiting

Lady Teazle,

Frances C. Cunningham

Chorus: The Violet's Fate

Franz Abt

Declamation: The Wreck of Rivermouth

Whittier

Marjorie A. Wade

Chemical Experiments:

a. The Making of Hydrogen, D. J. Murphy

b. The Making of Chlorine, C. E. Hoenemann

c. Marsh's Test for Arsenic, G. J. LaCroix

d. Bleaching Power of Sulphur Dioxide,

Gladys Dean

Presentation of the Class Gift

Valedictory Essay: Why Poetry Delights Me

Dorothy B. Holden

Class Ode

Valedictory

Presentation of Diplomas

Chorus: In Old Madrid

H. Trotere

Class Roll

Frances Cecilia Cunningham

Gladys Frederika Dean

Carlotta Emma Hoenemann

Dorothy Bearian Holden

Mildred Campbell Thrasher

Marjorie Arethusa Wade

George James LaCroix

Dennis Joseph Murphy

James Warren Payson

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

Total membership for the year ending in June 1909,	286
Average membership for the year,	248.53
Average attendance for the year,	227.79
Percentage of attendance for the year,	91.65
Number who were graduated from the high school,	9
Number who completed the grammar school course,	15
Average age of those who completed the grammar course in June, 1909,	14 years, 7 months.
Number who entered the high school this year,	14
Number attending school this year over 15 years of age,	28
Number who entered the primary school this year,	21
Average age of those who entered the primary school,	5 years, 11 months
Total membership this year to Jan. 28, 1910,	290
Average membership to Jan. 28, 1910,	264.84
Average attendance to Jan. 28, 1910,	242.85
Percentage of attendance,	91.70

Present membership by grades:

Grange Hall.	Adams School.
I, II,	III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI,
19, 17.	19, 22, 20, 13, 21, 17, 15, 7, 7,
	XII.
	6,
	Total 183
	Ellice School.
I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII,	
18, 10, 11, 18, 9, 2, 11,	Total 79

Number of children in town Sept. 1, 1909, between five and fifteen years of age:

Boys, 141; girls, 117; total, 258

Number of children in town Sept. 1, 1909, between seven and fourteen years of age:

Boys, 92; girls, 94; total, 186

Tabulation of Ages by Sex.

5 years		6 years		7 years		8 years		9 years	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
13	6	18	7	21	10	12	17	11	12
10 years		11 years		12 years		13 years		14 years	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
15	20	10	9	9	16	14	10	18	10

Total 141 males; 117 females.

Eye and Ear Test.

Number tested for sight and hearing,	272
Number found defective in sight,	35
Number found defective in hearing,	4
Number of parents or guardians notified,	36

SYNOPSIS OF ATTENDANCE FROM SEPT., 1908, TO JUNE, 1909.

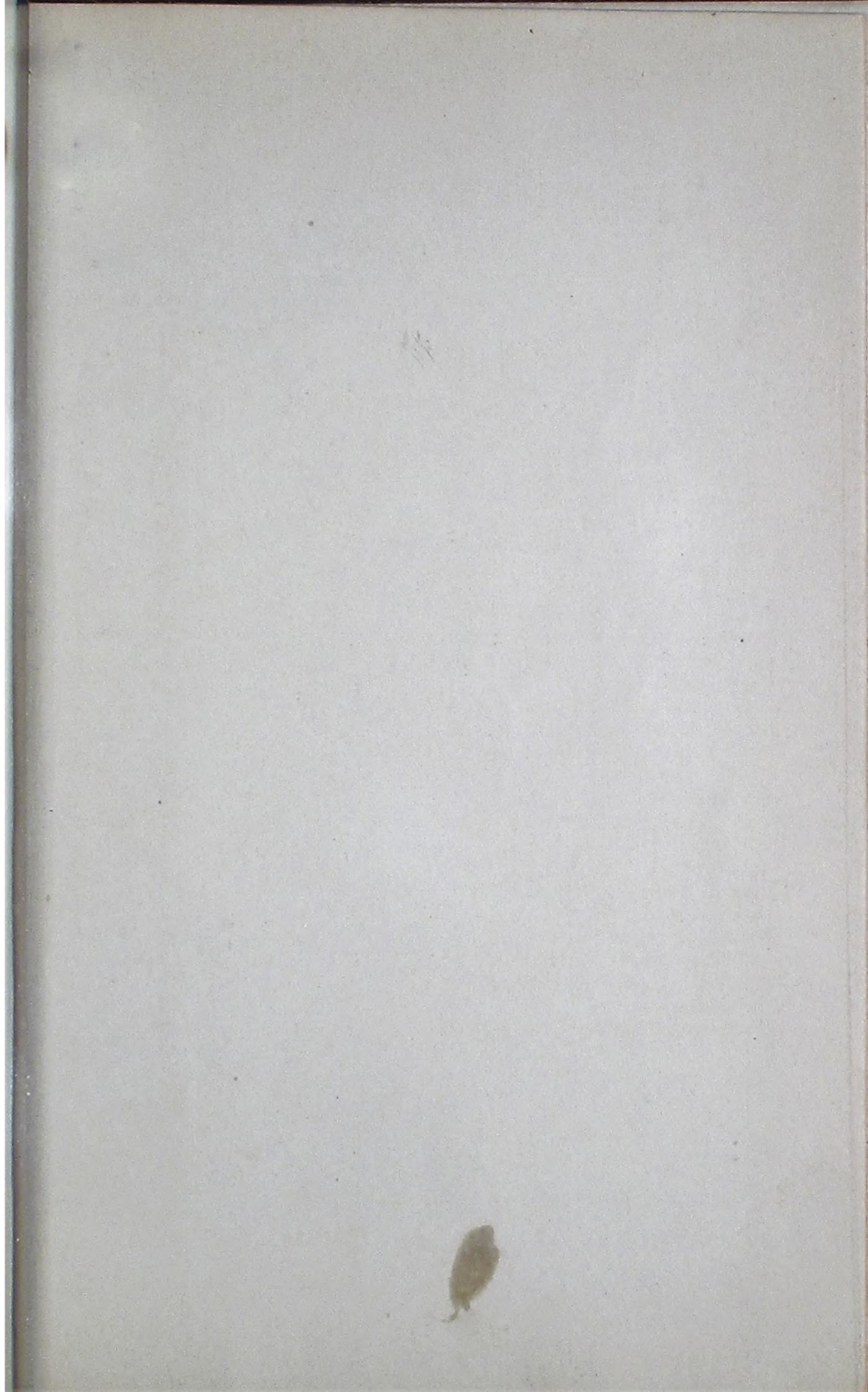
School.	Grades.	Teachers.	Total Membership.	Enrollment.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Per cent. of Attendance.	Visits by School Committee.	Visits by Superintendent.	Visits by others on Regular Days.	Visits by others on Special Days.	Calls by Teachers on Parents.
Adams	I-III	Chas. B. Sylvester,	38	37	34.56	32.46	93.93	4	46	34	5	25
"	VII-VIII	Elizabeth I. O'Neill,	42	38	37.35	35.18	94.19	5	56	22	5	20
"	V-VI	Idamae Wood,	32	32	29.41	27.19	92.45	4	53	16	7	4
"	III-IV	Laura M. Campbell,	39	38	35.36	32.88	92.99	2	44	16	5	7
Grange	I-II	Gertrude L. Farmer,	49	48	38.62	33.17	86.67	0	41	9	20	15
Hall	V-VII	Bertha G. Andrews,	39	32	31.17	28.28	90.73	0	34	17	49	25
Ellice	I-IV	Laura A. Baker,	47	42	42.66	38.33	91.11	0	35	26	56	39
		Violet H. Barnes,										
		Ethel F. Wood,										
		Totals	286	267	248.53	227.79	91.65	15	309	140	147	135

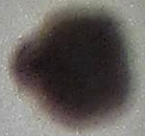
SYNOPSIS OF ATTENDANCE FROM SEPT. 7, 1909, TO JAN. 28, 1910.

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"	V-VI	Laura M. Campbell,	35	33	33.23	30.89	92.95	1	26	5	6	5
"	III-IV	Mattie M. Lawn,	41	38	40.13	37.62	93.75	0	23	7	9	3
Grange Hall	I-II	Bertha G. Andrews,	42	38	37.64	34.04	90.43	0	23	7	0	4
Ellice	IV-VII	Laura A. Baker,	46	41	40.54	36.10	89.05	0	15	8	8	17
"	I-III	Violet H. Barnes,	44	40	36.50	32.72	89.64	0	14	9	9	10
		Ethel F. Wood,	290	270	264.84	242.85	91.70	2	147	58	36	58
		Totals										

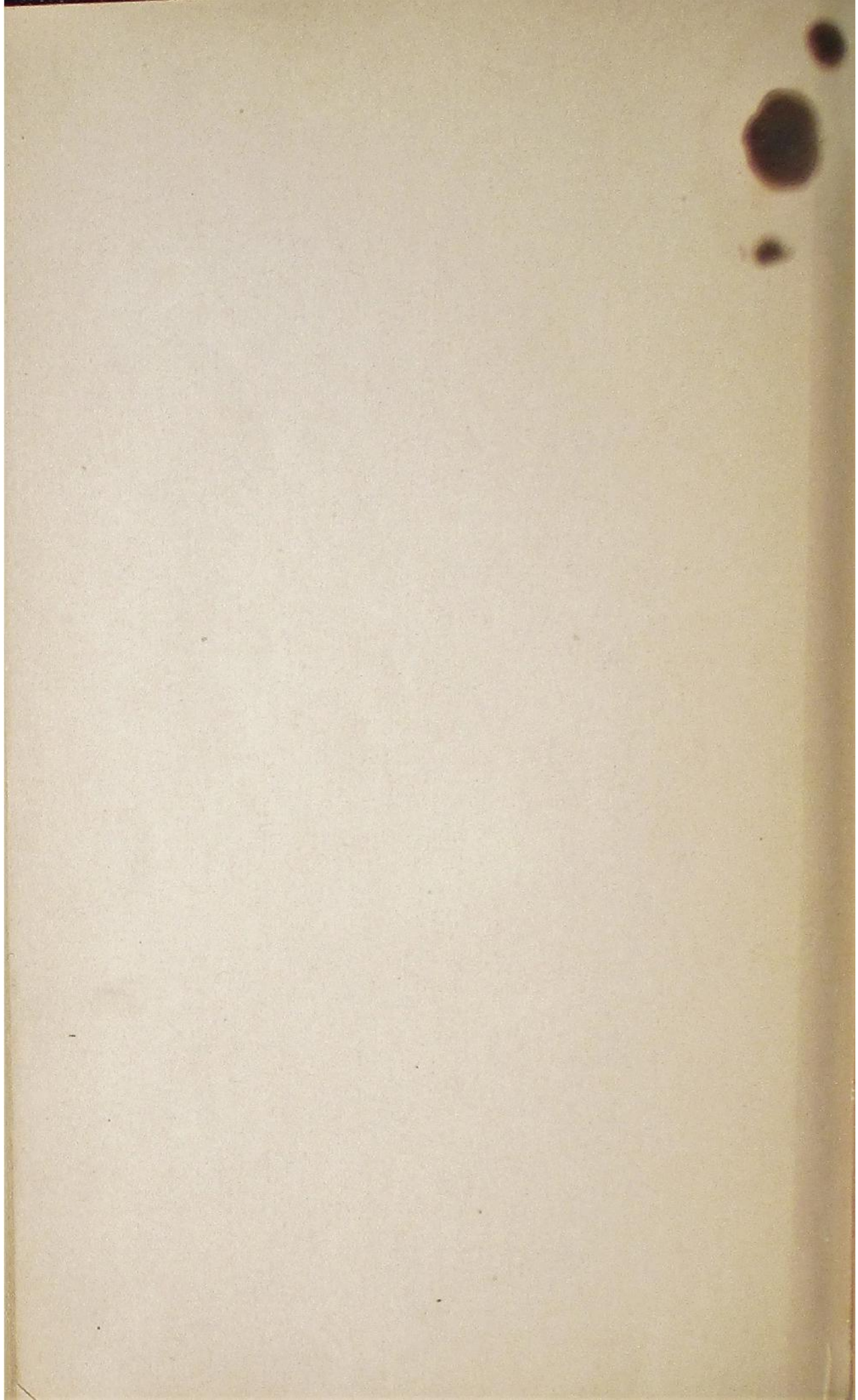
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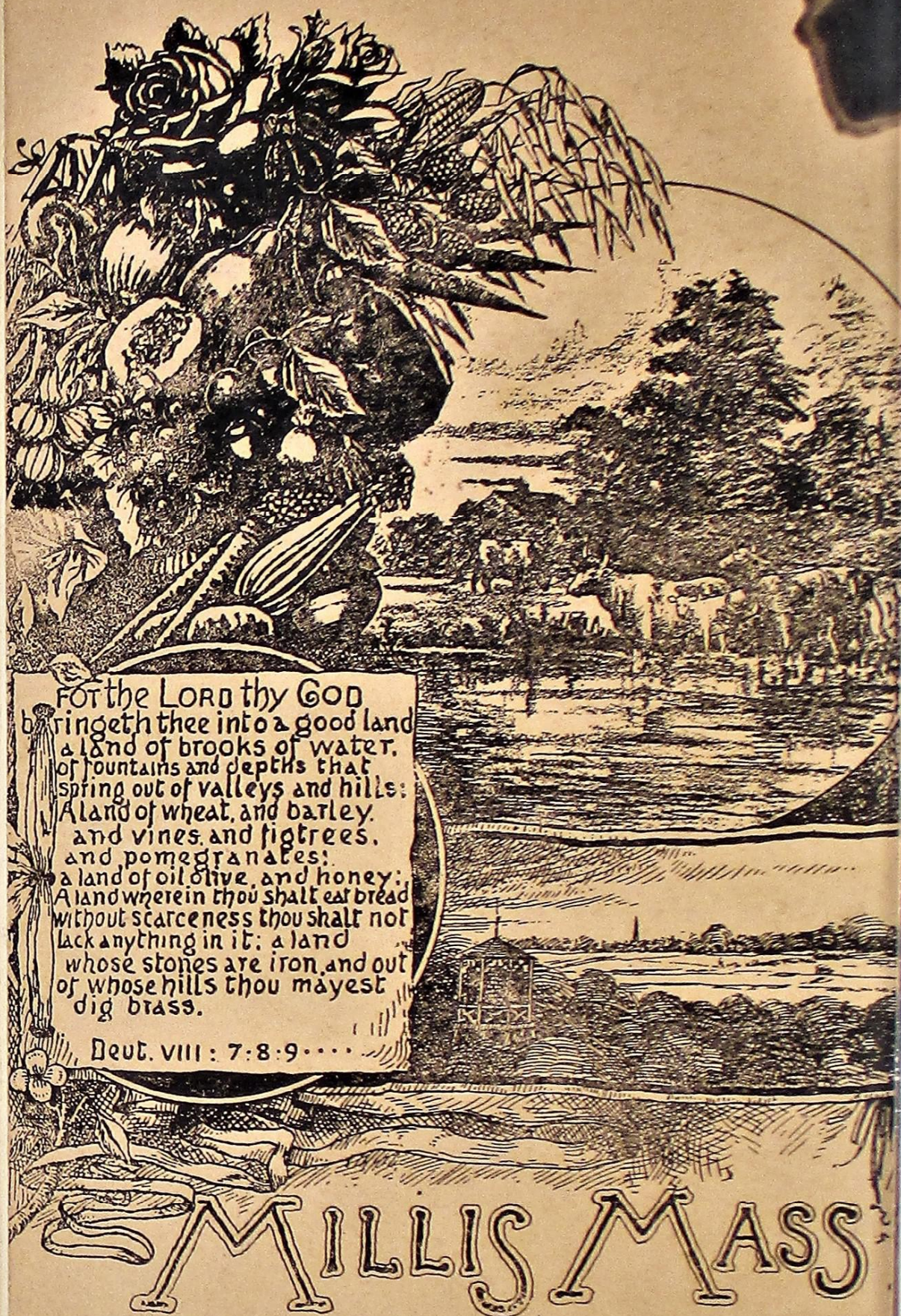








1850



For the LORD thy GOD
bringeth thee into a good land
a land of brooks of water,
of fountains and depths that
spring out of valleys and hills:
A land of wheat, and barley,
and vines, and fig trees,
and pomegranates:
a land of oil olive, and honey:
A land wherein thou shalt eat bread
without scarceness thou shalt not
lack anything in it: a land
whose stones are iron, and out
of whose hills thou mayest
dig brass.

Deut. VIII : 7:8:9.....

MILLIS MASS

